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BUSINESS SPECIALS.

Under this head business notices inserted for ten cents per line. Seven words to the line.

Grape Fruit, large and juicy at Drake & Brooks'.

New Clocks at Hills', the Jeweler's.

James Pledge will pay 10c per pound for Dressed Pigs until further notice.

New Jewelry, all kinds, at Hills'.

Mrs. Swift makes Fur Hats and Caps out of old furs. Call and talk with her, 24 Paris St.

Potato Chips, fresh and crisp at Drake & Brooks'.

New Silverware at Hills', the Jeweler's.

Watch for Drake & Brooks' Special, Saturday.

New watch Cases at Hills'.

Z. L. Merchant & Co. are selling balance of their winter merchandise in some of the departments at half price and less.

Go to Farmenter's for Kryptok Glasses.

Lawson Brand Canned Goods at Drake & Brooks'.

Good work and reasonable prices has made Hills' Watch repairing the largest.

Miss Libby is adding a new panel wall effect to her window seat which is very chic for the new ball dresses.

My loss, is your gain, Parmenter.

They are all smoking them, Norway Extra Fives at Drake & Brooks'.

Honest prices. Honest goods at Hills'.

Save money by buying a Horse Blanket at The Tucker Harness Store.

Call at Hills' and learn prices on Kyrptok lenses.

The Goodyear line—the best—of Water Bottles and Syringes at the Noyes Drug Store.

See Parmenter's goods before buying.

Watch the window at The Pure Food Store, Saturday.

We have filled up all the thin places in our stock. Hills, the Jeweler.

Hugh Pendexter's and C. A. Stephens' Books at the Noyes Drug Store.

Boiled Ham at Drake & Brooks'.

New spring materials at Z. L. Merchant Co's.

Call and learn prices at Hills'.

A Hot Water Bottle is a household necessity. Stone sells the guaranteed kind.

If you have your glasses fitted at Hills', you will not have to pay three to six hundred per cent. profit.

Mark down in sleds at Stone's.

Don't be fooled into paying fancy prices on Toric lenses. The same only cost few cents not dollars extra at Hills'.

The celebrated Boker Razor at the Noyes Drug Store.

Parmenter's Annual Clearance Sale at Rock Bottom prices. My loss is your gain. 50 per cent. off on all goods now in stock. Everything in the Jewelry line at one-half the regular price. $25.80 Lady's Watch, only $12.90; $77.00 Diamond Ring, only $38.50; $8.00 Beautiful Locket, only $4.00; $5.85 Cuckoo Clock, only $2.93; $8.00 Parlor Clock, only $4.00; Silverware at one-half price; and many other good and great bargains on sale now at one-half regular price. Now the prices drop. Hear the Knockers knock. Get the goods you need for one-half the price of other stores. We are a little out of the way, but it pays to walk. $1.000 worth goods will be sold at half price. Get your share of this sale. Come here. Come now. Parmenter's, Norway, Me. Open evenings.

NORWAY AND VICINITY

H. J Baugs was in town several days first of the week.

The Veranda Club will have their annual ball May night.

Mrs. Fred Beck of South Woodstock is the guest of relatives in town this week.

Elsie Davis from Bethel is at work doing housework for Mrs. Cora Kimball, on Hazen street.

Ella Clark from Bates, Lewiston, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Clark.

Herbert Bradbury, who has been confined to the house most of the winter, is improving slowly.

The tickets for the play, "Sweet Lavender," are going fast. It is expected that the production will be largely attended.

The committee on the Board of Trade banquet, which is to be held Friday evening, Feb. 21st, report a good sale of tickets. As the hall will accommodate but 180, you had better secure your tickets, if you have not already done so. Tickets may be bought of the committee: Eugene N. Swett, George L. Curtis and Henry B. Foster, up to Feb. 18.

The Deering Memorial church at South Paris will meet with the Methodist Episcopal church of Norway at a union service next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. This meeting will be held in the interest of the boys and reports will be given of the Boy's great Convention recently held in Portland, by the delegates who were sent from these churches, also by those who chaperoned the boys.

The graduating exercises of the Norway Literal Institute will occur at Grange Hall, Wednesday evening, Feb. 19th, at 8 o'clock. Supper will be served previously from 6:30 to 8:30. The supper and entertainment are gotten up under the auspices of the ladies' circle of the Congr gational Church. Program of the Graduation:

Music
Salutatory.....Edith Marcia Bartlett
Reminiscence of Norway Literal Institute.....Gertrude Walker Libby
The value of time.....Leon Marlin Longley*
Music
Class history.....Harry Tormentor Jones
Modern war.....Gertrude Melvina Hosmer
Doleful events.....Eugene Callum Andrews
Music
Prophecy.....Walter Shepard Chandler
When women vote.....Nellie Louise Andrews
Northern laborers.....Wiggin Lyon Merrill
Under the pine tree flag.....Gertrude Holden Barker*
Music
Presentation of gifts.....Elnora Frances Keene
The heroes of today.....John Foss Swain*
Valedictory.....Elinor Maud Shepard
Class Ode.....Lena May Andrews
Marshal.....Michael Francis Kerwin
Presentation of diplomas
Presentation of Seitz prize
Singing of class ode
*Excused.

Class colors—Red and Green.
Class Motto—"It pays to walk."
Teachers—Prin. Herman L. Horne; Sub-Master, Herbert F. Andrews; Preceptress, Nancy McCrellis; Preceptress. Franie Holmes.
School Board—Mayor Geo. W. Holmes, Howard D. Smith. Julia Horne.
Flower girls—Amelia L. Parmenter, Alma G. Bailey.
Music furnished by Greenville School Orchestra.

On Saturday evening, Feb. 8, the Past Noble Grands of Mt. Hope Rebekah Lodge were entertained by Mrs. Gertrude W. Libby at her home on Paris street. A bountiful supper was served after which the evening was passed in a social way. Every Past Noble Grand who was in town was present. During the evening a suggestion was made that an association be formed, to be known as the Past Noble Grand's Association, which found ready favor with all present and accordingly Mrs. Alice R. Danforth was chosen to preside over the meeting and the following officers were elected. Pres. Mrs. Alice R. Danforth; V. Pres., Mrs. Leona G. Tubbs; Sec'y., Mrs. Ada Libby, Treas., Mrs. Ella M. Harriman; Mrs. Maggie Z. Libby, Mrs. Eva M. Kimball and Mrs. Effie I. Akers were appointed house committee for the year. At a late hour the company dispersed to their several homes after extending to their hostess an unanimous vote of thanks for her hospitality. Those present were Mrs. Alice R. Danforth, Mrs. Leona G. Tubbs, Mrs. Ella Harriman, Mrs. Maggie Z. Libby, Mrs. Eva M. Kimball, Mrs. Ada A. Libby, Mrs. Eleanora Keene, Mrs. Effie Akers, Mrs. Emma Cullinan, Mrs. Gertrude Libby, Mrs. Cora E. Kimball, Mrs. Linnie Bartlett, Mrs. Bertha Evirs. Mrs. Eliza F. Frost, Mrs. Minnie C. Bangs, and Mrs. Katherine Mann are living out of town and were necessarily absent.

Street Improvement
Shall it be done?

A question of vital importance to Norway, and one that should dwell constantly, for the next two weeks, in the mind of every loyal taxpayer is: Shall we continue to use the method of the past in maintaining our streets and highways?

Shall we go on and on, through another decade, with patchwork as our motto? Shall we continue our high rate of taxation, with an ever growing disgust, at the results obtained by using this method? Can we continue, for even one more year, with a method that is unquestionably, and absolutely a losing game? It is an endless chain of expense, with a depleted balance, caused by the gradual deterioration of the material, which constitutes our streets and highways.

Some years nature smiles on our system by sending no cloudbursts to dissolve and scatter our streets, and then, we may hear a low spoken word of commendation, for the efficient work of our street commissioner. But as a rule, the elements conspire to lessen the efficiency of the street commissioner's labor, through the absence of proper material to do lasting work.

Shall we continue our high rate of taxation, our losing game, and depressing results, or shall we awake to the occasion and adopt a new system? For example: Let us make a slight increase in our tax rate, for a period of say, three years. This will give the time needed to fairly start the new system. Then we shall be able to realize a gradual, but perceptible decrease in taxation, as a result of having done some permanent work.

Just to illustrate, let us take a section of highway, and shape and surface it with our only available mud producing material, which, after each storm must be dragged back into its former shape, or left in an unsafe condition. It costs one hundred dollars each year, by our exclusive method, to maintain this section in a passable condition. In five years it has cost us five hundred dollars, and its result has been the same each year.

Now, let us use the new system, which is certainly permanent work as compared with our method of the past. Take the same section, and shape it to drain properly; then let us give it a liberal surface of finely crushed rock, and let the traffic roll it into a hard flinty well shaped road. This will cost two hundred and fifty dollars, and will last five years, with very little outlay to maintain it. This system, if pursued, will give pleasure to all who use such highways, and will, ultimately decrease taxation.

Our only material to build, so called permanent roads, was given to us in the form of stones. We have no good gravel, as have some towns, so we must purchase the only thing that can reduce these stones to the proper dimensions, for surfacing our streets and highways, namely, a stone crusher.

So called permanent work, as compared with the patchwork of the past, is the only system that can give us efficient roads, and decrease taxation in the future.

The stone crusher will not only produce material to make good highways in the outlaying districts, but also, for our cross streets and sidewalks in the corporation. With no increased appropriation, the product of the stone crusher will give five times the lasting satisfytory results that we have enjoyed in the past.

It is absolutely needless to picture our main street in Norway, for every voter knows its deplorable condition, especially, from the head of Main street to Tannery Bridge. It costs seven hundred and fifty dollars per year for the work done on Main street, and we all view the results with sadness.

This seven hundred and fifty dollars will produce fifteen hundred tons of crushed rock, which will put many square rods of highway into a permanent condition as compared to the old system, and we shall never miss it so far as former results are concerned.

Now shall this condition continue or shall we have a really permanent main street; a street that we older ones may enjoy and be proud of through our remaining years; a street that will smile up at our offspring, still in a robust condition, after we have passed on to that land where all streets are paved with gold?

But some will say, "Why, such a street means the expenditure of a great deal of money!" They are correct. It will cost a great deal of money, but it will be well worth the price. It has cost twenty thousand dollars in the last twenty years to patch Main street and I ask you, candidly, "Have you enjoyed the results?" Where is that twenty thousand dollars of hard-earned money today? Gone, absolutely! What is the condition of Main street today? In much the same condition as the money—simply gasping for her last breath!

Some will say: "Oh, but we are out debt and must remain so. Let's do just a little each year and pay as it is done." The patchwork cry! Now just consider: If we had issued bonds for twenty thousand dollars, twenty years ago, and built a really permanent street as we wish to now, the money that is hopelessly gone would have paid the principal, and goodness knows, that the use of such a street would have amply repaid us, for the interest paid on the bonds and still have the street for future use.

Should being out of debt cause us to be proud, when other towns around us, who have a large debt, enjoy advanced conditions, which we do not enjoy, and still have a lower tax rate than ours? When is it a disgrace for a town to be in debt? It is, when she has not the equivalences in some form, for the comfort, convenience, and welfare of her people. When is it a disgrace for a town to be out of debt? When she is in partially the same condition as the town before mentioned.

Money paid for really permanent work done in large amounts pays in two ways: the advantage of its use to all, while gradually maturing the bonds, is one way. The gradual reduction in taxation in future, from permanent work done is another.

A section of permanent work done, a little at a time, costs one-third more when it is finished than if it were to be done all at one time. With our present system and rate of taxation, we are paying for advanced conditions and not enjoying them.

With a practical system, we can have advanced conditions, which all may constantly derive pleasure from, and pay less for in the end.

Now, just let us suppose, that to install a really permanent street from the head of Main street to Tannery bridge, and permanent sidewalks also, which Heaven knows are badly needed, it will cost the town thirty thousand dollars.

Also, let us suppose that we issue four per cent. bonds for thirty thousand dollars, and pay a one thousand dollar bond each year with interest. What will be the extra burden to our tax payers the first year? It will cost us one dollar fifty-four cents on one thousand dollars assessed. Now, will each tax payer kindly figure his extra cost, on what he is assessed for the first year, knowing that the burden will be lighter each succeeding year, and see how small it will seem, compared with the increase in values caused by such advancement.

If we reckon the benefit that all may derive from such improved conditions, at one-half its real worth, the extra cost of each voter will seem insignificant.

We cannot afford to have it said that our sister towns are superseding us in enterprise. If conditions warrant disparaging remarks from our own town people, what can we expect from the outside world?

We cannot afford to have it said by them, that Norway is inefficient in streets and highways, when so little extra expense to our voters, must compel the profound respect of all who visit our town.

Every indication points to a very healthy growth in our shoe industry in Norway, in the near future. We are also assured that the Main Trunk Line from Portland, through Poland Springs to the mountains, will go directly through our town. This will mean improved conditions and increased prosperity to all. Let us all meet these conditions in the right manner, and with the right spirit. Let every voter see his duty clearly March 3d, and do it so effectively, that we may grow into a bigger, better, busier Norway, and establish a prestige, that will ultimately enhance the value of every dollar's worth of property, within the limits of our fair town.

S. C. F.

Three Year Term for Selectmen.

The article in the town warrant for a continuous board of selectmen should have serious consideration. The yearly election of these officers is not for the best interest of the town.

At every complete change of the board the town suffers or at least the tax payers do.

We believe in putting new men on the board but not in a complete change at any one time as has been done ten times in the past 30 years.

It is not reasonable—is not the way to do.

The towns that have adopted the continuous board plan are pleased with its working. One new man is put on the board each year and serves three years.

The county commissioner; the school committee; trustees of the library, and other officers of the State hold office under this plan.

This plan should be adopted for the Norway selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor. There are many reasons.

Let's change over to it this year. The person receiving the greatest number of votes to hold office for three years; the next largest two years and the one getting the smallest vote one year.

The board to choose their chairman. It's not necessary for the voters to say who is to be the chairman. Let the selectmen do this.

Mrs. John Sampson has been sick the past week.

J. Oclair and wife were at home from Auburn over Sunday.

Mrs. Edward McPhee is suffering from an abscess in her right hand.

George A. Brooks has been suffering from an attack of acute indigestion.

F. I. McAlister has visited at his sister's, Mr. and Mrs. Ordway's on Pike's Hill.

The Universalist Sewing Circle will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. W. F. Jones.

Mary Lowell of Augusta has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Hills. She is a trained nurse and is engaged at her profession in Augusta. Before her return she will visit in Yarmouth, Boston and New York.

Leon M. Longley recently returned from a trip to Nebraska. He was gone over two weeks and made the journey in company with O. P. Perley, of Ipswich, Mass. Lincoln, Grand Island and Broken Bow were visited. Mr. Perley had business in these places and sold a farm at Grand Island. The Norway people at Lincoln were called on.

The Mercy and Help committee of the M. E. Church under the efficient leadership of Mrs. A. T. Bennett, have tried the past year to make this department all that its name implies. Two hundred calls have been made to the sick and shut-ins and three hundred garments have been placed where needed. Eighty bouquets and many baskets of fruit sent out to sick and shut-ins, also money to the amount of $10 has been expended in various ways to meet the call of urgent cases.

The Junior Y. P. C. U. of Norway has, February 1913, elected officers as follows:

Pres.—Muriel F. Ward.
V. Pres.—Adeline DeCoster.
Sec.—Doris Foster.
Treas.—Harmon P. Ward.
Devotional Com.—Carlton Lebroke, Carroll DeCoster.
Mission Com.—Joe Merrill, Stephen J. Cummings.
Flower Com.—Marion Downing, Madeline Hayden, Henry Cullinan.
Music Com.—Adeline DeCoster, Murial Ward.
Entertainment Com.—Doris Brooks, Charles Cummings, Joe Merrill, Adeline DeCoster, Guy Murdock.

A special meeting of the First Universalist Parish has been call upon the application of W. C. Leavitt, C. F. Ridlon and others to act upon the following articles, Saturday evening, Feb. 15, at 7 30:

Art. 1. To choose a moderator.
Art. 2. To choose a clerk.
Art. 3. To see what action the parish will take in regard to the resignation given by Rev. M. C. Ward and accepted by the parish committee.
Art. 4. To see what action the parish will take in regard to salary for Rev. M. C. Ward during such time as he may occupy the pulpit of the above society.
Art. 5. To see if the parish will vote to give in writing, a true statement of the reasons for not hiring M. C. Ward for the ensuing year.
Art. 6. To transact such business as may legally come before said meeting.

Annual Clerks' Ball.

On Tuesday evening, Feb. 11th, occurred one of the biggest social events of the season, when the Norway Clerks' Ball Association held their 19th Annual Ball, at the Norway Opera House

As usual, all the seats in the gallery were sold long before the night of the ball and the greater part of the standing room was well taxed. The association may feel well pleased with the success of the affair, in securing about the largest crowd of any previous Clerks' Ball.

The decorations were confined entirely to the stage and were in heliotrops and white. Along the front of the stage was a handsomely decorated fence, ornamented with heliotrope and white in the form of circles, diamonds, rosettes and streamers, against a back ground of white. The sides of the stage contained streamers closely attached, and a pretty border in heliotrope and white. Overhead was a large bell containing the lights, around which were innumerable streamers. The orchestra was seated on a raised platform in the center of the stage. The committee on decorations was, Walter L. Hutchins, Fred H. Cummings, A. S. Flood, E. D. Packard, Albert Fogg, Herman Richardson, Iva Russell and Mrs. Linnie Bartlett.

The music this year was furnished by the American Cadet Orchestra, of Portland and a fine concert was given between 8 and 8.30 which was highly appreciated by a large audience.

Soon after the concert, the orchestra struck up, and the line for the grand march was formed, led by floor manager Harry W. Luck, and wife, followed by the aids, Homer R. Luck and Clara Louise Hathaway, Fred E. Smith and wife, Walter L. Hutchins and wife, Lester Ashton and wife, George L. Curtis and wife and Chester P. Gates and wife. There were 119 couple on the grand march.

John H. Hazelton of Westbrook, was prompter for the dance and is no stranger to attendants of the Clerks' Ball, being at one time dancing teacher here in town where he has many friends to welcome him here each year.

The order of dances consisted of 16 numbers, as follows: Grand March and Portland fancy, waltz, lady of the lake, schottische, two-step and galop, quadrille, waltz, two-step, waltz and galop, waltz and two-step, schottische, Boston fancy, galop, two-step, waltz, schottische waltz and a number of extras. The dance order covers contained a small landscape of a low thatched-roof house by the shore of a pond and was in brown green and white. The landscape is surrounded by a design of green and gold jonquils and was tied with fancy cord and pencils.

At intermission a supper was served at Concert Hall by Mrs. C. F. Ridlon's class, of the Universalist Church. The supper consisted of cold meats, mashed potatoes, all kinds of pastry, coffee and spring water. Harry Packard also served an oyster stew supper at his lunch room at intermission.

G. R. Harriman is the president of the association. Mr. Harriman, since graduating from the school of Pharmacy at Philadelphia, has been engaged as clerk at F. P. Stone's drug store. The Vice President is Harry W. Luck. Mr. Luck is clerking at James Tubbs' grocery store. The secretary and treasurer is Fred E. Smith, who is assistant cashier at the Norway National Bank.

The executive committee is composed of Harry W. Luck and Percy Fogg, Mr. Fogg is an assistant at J. Waldo Nash's taxidermist rooms.

Reduced rates, of fare and one third was secured on this line of the Grand Trunk and there was a large number from up and down the line availed themselves of the opportunity to attend the ball.

The hall presented an unusually pretty appearance as the dancers glided to and fro. The gowns of the ladies this year were in a wide variety of colors giving a very pretty effect.

Junior Exhibition.

The 8th annual Junior Exhibition of the Norway High School was held Wednesday evening, Feb 12th, at the Norway Opera House. The exercises of the evening consisted of a Lincoln Program with reading and music. There was a good attendance, but not as large as usual.

The program opened with selections by the High School Orchestra, which is composed of: violins, Marion Haskell, Roland McCormick, Doris Shepard, Fred Winslow; trombone, Harry S. Lasselle; cornet, Richard J. Stiles; flute, Floyd Haskell; drum and cymbals, Merle Russell; piano, Ruth Cummings; leader, Frank Knapp.

To the strains of the music the Junior class was marshalled to their seats by Phillip Gerald Young. There was a prayer by Rev. M. C. Ward, followed by the singing of "America" by the audience.

Among the speeches given during the evening, were: "Lincoln's Address at Gettysburg," Charles Wesley Clark; "Lincoln, the Man of the People," Phillip Emery Foss; "Oh, Why Should the Spirit of Mortal be Proud?" Marion Florence Hobbs; "The Toy Shop, part 1" Phillip Gerald Young; "The Toy Shop, part 2," William Hartley McDaniels; "The Man of Sorrows," Alma Eleanor Shepard; "He Knew Lincoln, part 1," Amy Alice Losier; "He Knew Lincoln, part 2," Effie Christine Watson; "The One Who Gave," Margaret Welch; Oration at the Grave of Lincoln's Mother," Clarence Vivian Stevens. The readings were very well presented and recalled to mind the life and characteristics of the great Abraham Lincoln.

There were musical selections by Richard Jordan Stiles and Harry Stearns Lasselle, "Tenting Tonight," with piano accompainment; duet, "My Maryland," Marion Haskell violin, and Ruth Cummings piano; solo, "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," Marion Calista Noble, which was nicely rendered.

The sword drill by the Junior boys received hearty applause. The young men were dressed in white duck trousers and blue jerseys with a United States flag placed around their waists. Those who took part in the drill were: Harry Lasselle, Merle Russell, Francis Chandler, William McDaniels, Jacob Klain, Ned Shepard, Theodore Frost, Floyd Haskell, Philip Young, Clarence Stevens, Richard Stiles, and Harold Thomas.

Mrs. Flora Buswell is spending the week with her daughter, Marjorie, in Portland.

Hill—Hogle.

Clyde V. Hill, formerly of Norway, and Esther Hogle, of La Mesa, Calif., stole a march on their parents and acquaintances by slipping away to Oceanside, Calif., Jan. 4, for the purpose of getting married. The young couple kept the secret to themselves for a whole week—finally calling upon the parents of each and notifying them of the happy event.

The bride is a well known La Mesa young lady of many accomplishments, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hogle of La Mesa. She is a trained nurse, being a graduate of the Santa Monica Bay Hospital.

The groom is the son of Mrs. H. Lee Russell of Norway, and is a rising young architect employed in the office of Robert Halley, of San Diego. He is also a member of the La Mesa Band and very popular with the young people.

The Scout, with many friends, joins in extending heartiest felicitations for a long and happy voyage on the sea of matrimony.

Mrs. Mary Linnell, who has been sick with neuritis, is improving and able to be out.

Mrs. Chester P. Gates is working at the Advertiser office during Town Report time.

Lula A. Haskell has returned to her room. She has been caring for George Emerson's baby.

J. C. Yeaton is cutting timber on the Benjamin Tucker lot, for C. B. Cummings & Sons.

Rev. Howard A. Markley of Turner Center will exchange pulpits, next Sunday, with Rev. M. C. Ward.

Mrs. Blanche Harmon of Woodfords was an over-Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Longley and family.

A stated convocation of Oxford Chapter will be held at Masonic Hall, Wednesday evening, with the grand officer present.

The Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Church met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Dow, at her home on Paris street.

The trees on Pike Hill at the rear of the Bennett and Brooks' place have been removed, and have changed the appearance of the place greatly.

The Ladies' Circle of the Methodist Church will meet next Thursday afternoon with Helen Pike, at her home on Deering street, to tack puffs.

A. L. Sanborn has leased the small store house near the old grist mill at the falls. Mr. Sanborn uses the place to prepare his floor cleaning material in.

W. A. Bicknell went to the C. M. G. Hospital at Lewiston, Saturday, for an examination, and will return again, Thursday, for an operation for gall stones.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their annual sale of aprons, food, etc., on Wednesday, Feb. 26, at Grange Hall, at 2 o'clock p. m. There will be a free entertainment in the evening.

James B. Stevenson of Rumford, District Deputy Grand Master of the 16th district, will make an official visit to Oxford Lodge No. 18 F. & A. M., Friday evening, February 14th.

Rev. C. A. Brooks, who has been ill at his home in South Portland since Christmas, still remains very ill. His son, Elwood Brooks and wife of Mechanic Falls, are still with him.

Rev. B. C. Wentworth announces his purpose to close his pastorate at Norway with the present conference year, with the consent of Bishop Henderson and Rev. J. M. Frost, district superintendent.

The bursting of an elbow of pipe attached to a water tank on top of the Faunce & Spinney Shoe factory, Lynn, Mass., flooded the entire building on Wednesday, damaging the structures and stock to an extent estimated at $40,000. Many employes were forced to stop work as a result of the drenching.

Oxford Park

Guy Walker lost a horse last week.

Mrs. George Bolliau has been on the sick list.

Fred Zapolonski is working for Dr. E. C. Walker this winter.

Mrs. Mary J. Walker visited at Dr. E. C. Walker's, one day last week.

Grace Fuller is sick with throat trouble, at her home on Gerry street.

Hazel Pratt was unable to attend school last week on account of sickness.

Rodney Verrill of West Paris visited his brother, Elden Verrill, over Sunday.

William Twitchell has returned home from Sumner where he has been working.

Clarence E. Briggs was home from Bethel, over Sunday, where he is working for Robert Bennett, driving team.

With wood so scarce it looks good to see the large loads of wood being delivered at C. H. Pratt's and Napoleon Drufresne's.

Lottie Pound of Dover, N. H., is stopping with her mother, Mrs. Alphonso Allen. Alphonso Allen has returned from Dover, where he has recently been.

Fred Zapolonski met with a painful accident, Thursday, while taking away from the wood machine of Henry Kerr a stick flew and struck him on the cheek. A physician removed a piece of the bone, and took several stitches. The wound is doing as well as can be expected.

SOUTH PARIS.

Katherine Morton* entertained the Opportunity Club at her home, Thursday evening.

The Ladies of Deering Memorial Church will serve supper at the church vestry, Friday evening, February 14th, at 6:45. An entertainment will be given after the supper. Mrs. Edith Bartlett of Norway will be the reader and a fine program of music is being prepared. Richard Stiles of Norway will be the cornet soloist.

There will be an entertainment at the Grange hall, Saturday evening, Feb. 15, consisting of the farce, How the Story Grew, by the ladies of Paris Hill, to be followed by a sociable. Cast of characters as follows:

Mrs. Brown.....Mrs. Kate Hammond
Mrs. Green.....Mrs. Clutie Shaw
Mrs. Bean.....Mrs. Annie Cummings
Mrs. Rice.....Mrs. Ara Curtis
Mrs. Doolittle.....May Bennett
Mrs. Snow.....Mrs. Abbie Abbott
Mrs. Taylor.....Mrs. Louis Shaw
Mrs. White.....Mrs. Georgia Thayer

Higbee of Harvard.

Thursday and Friday evenings, Feb. 7 8, the students of the Paris High School presented their drama, entitled "Higbee of Harvard," at New Hall, before a large audience.

The play was a clean, light comedy with many character sketches, one of the most popular being that of Higbee, Sr., father of "Higbee of Harvard." The fathers of two of the young people wished their son and daughter to marry, but they refused to accept the situation as they had already fallen in love with other parties, and refused to obey. There was more or less trouble until the illness of Higbee, Sr., when the girl with whom his son was in love nursed him back to health, and Higbee, Sr. learned the true worth of the daughter of his old partner, whom he had thought dishonest but learned now to be "true blue."

Lloyd Davis took the part of Ex-Senator Withrow, an aristocrat; the part of Lorin Higbee of Harvard, who never lacked for money, was taken by Donald Brooks; Ralph Andrews took the part of Ted Dairymple, who worked his way through college; the butler, "Higgins," who blew up the mine which ultimately brought about the reconciliation, was taken by Murray Bigelow; Nancy Withrow, the Ex-Senator's daughter, was taken by Dorothy Wight; the part of Madge Cummings, Nancy's girl friend was taken by Beatrice Andrews, and both girls proved their grit and their love for their sweethearts during their sweethearts' exile in a mining camp in Montana; the part of Mrs. Ballou, Nancy's aristocratic aunt, was taken by Lulu Davis; Clara Bacon took the part of Mrs. Meddigrew of Missouri, who was always ready to talk.

The specialties of the evening were a vocal duet by Eva Andrews and Marjorie Gray, and a cornet duet by Raymond Penfold and Lloyd Davis.

The music for the evening was furnished by Knapp's full orchestra.

The play was given under the direction of Mrs. I. E. Andrews.

McCallum-Homan.

George E. McCallum and Joanna M. Homan, both of South Paris, were united in marriage, Saturday evening, February 1st, at the home of Albert Witham on Park street.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. A. Davis of the Baptist Church, who used the single ring service.

Mr. and Mrs. McCallum will reside here.

The rehearsals for the Odd Fellows' Minstrels commenced Monday evening.

Carl Mason and family of Auburn visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Mason, Friday.

Mrs. Kate Stuart entertained the Women's Home Missionary Society, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles S. Elder of Malden, Mass., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Wendall Rounds.

Mrs. Albert Smith of South Waterford was an over-Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wirt Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bonney of Houlton are visiting Mr Bonney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Bonney.

Ernest C. Penley has bought the farm recently owned by the late Parris Paige of Waterford, containing some 70 acres.

W. W. Ripley hauled a load of pine to L. S. Billings' mill, which was the largest load ever hauled there and was 2750 feet.

An oyster supper will be served at the Congregational church, Friday evening, Feb. 21, followed by a Washington birthday entertainment.

The success of "Higbee of Harvard" by Paris High School was such that they intend to give the drama at West Paris and Bolster's Mills.

Harrison Farrar, who has been visiting his sons in town, has returned to Madison, where he is stopping with his daughter, Mrs. H. R. Teague.

Harvey E. Powers started for Groveland, Florida, Monday, with a party who are investigating some lands which have recently been placed on the market.

Mrs. Madeline G. Snowden of Portland will read "The Doll's House," at the Congregational church, Tuesday evening, Feb. 18, and a fine evening's entertainment is assured.

Bertha Mann of Boston is spending several days at home and attended the Clerks' ball. Miss Mann is engaged in professional shopping in Boston, and has been doing well at her new work. She has received many orders from local people and has given satisfaction.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wheeler are in Boston attending the banquet of the New England representatives of the United States Fidelity and Guarantee Company of Baltimore. Mr. Wheeler will visit his sister, Mrs Brown, in Hartford, Conn., and Mrs. Wheeler will spend the week with her daughter, Mrs. Roy E. Cole, of Canton, Mass.

The Seneca Club was entertained Monday evening by Grace Thayer at her home on Main street. The program for the evening was as follows: Roll Call, Lincoln Anecdotes; An account of the Wars of the Roses, by Mrs. Wirt Stanley; The Reign of Henry the VII, Mrs. Hathaway; Reading of a Lincoln story, Mrs. Alton Wheeler.

SOUTH HIRAM.

Charles Gilpatrick "The Ossified Man."

Died at Kezar Falls, Friday, Feb. 7, at the home of his sister, Mrs. Alpheus Gilpatrick, Charles Gilpatrick, of heart failure, the greatest curiosity of the age, known the country over as the "ossified man."

He was a little past 50 years of age and for years had been unable to feed or care for himself in any way. The hardening of the muscles began in early childhood. His parents were in limited circumstances, but all that medical skill could do was done for him, yet nothing could stay the disease called in these days lone scrofula."

For a number of years he has been exhibited at the fairs. At one time was at "Austin and Stone's Museum;" also he has crossed the water and been exhibited in European cities. He was a bright active boy, and notwithstanding his great affliction his mental faculties seemed unimpaired.

He is survived by three brothers and one sister, with whom he made his home the last few years of his life.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. C. Hughes of the Methodist church.

Mrs. Mabel Norton visited Mrs. Mary Stanley last week a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Stearns returned home from Augusta, Saturday.

Your correspondent believes the rug fever has extended from Lovell to South Hiram.

Mrs. Susie Trueworthy spent a few days last week as the guest of her brother, A. W. Stanley at Augusta.

SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.

OXFORD LODGE, F. & A. M., No. 18, meets in Masonic Hall, Friday evening, on or before full moon. Horace E. Mixer, W. M.; Howard D. Smith, Secretary.

OXFORD ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER, No. 29, meets in Masonic Hall, Wednesday evening, on or before full moon. Arthur E. Forbes, H. P.; Chas. F. Ridlon, Secretary.

OXFORD COUNCIL, No. 14, R. & S. M., meets in Masonic Hall, Friday evening, after the full moon. C. E. McArdle, T. I. M., A. J. Stearns, Recorder.

OXFORD LODGE, No. 1, Ark Mariners, meets in Masonic Hall, Wednesday after the full moon. Ernest J. Record, Ven. Pat.; George W. Holmes, Secretary.

NORWAY LODGE, No. 16, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall every Tuesday evening. Clarence V. Webber, N. G.; Merton L. Kimball, Sec'y.

MT. HOPE REBEKAH LODGE, No. 58, I. O. O. F., meets in Odd Fellows' Hall the first and third Friday evenings of each month. Gertrude Hosmer, N. G.; Eva M. Kimball, Sec'y.

WILDEY ENCAMPMENT, No. 21, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month. Ernest H. Maxim, C. P.; Merton L. Kimball, Scribe.

HARRY RUST POST, No. 54, G. A. R., meets at the old K. of P. Hall over Stone's Drug Store the first Tuesday evening in each month. W. S. Cordwell, Commander; Freeland Young, adjutant; M. E. Kimball, Q. M.

HARRY RUST, W. R. C., No. 45, meets in the old K. of P. hall over Stone's Drug Store, the first and third Thursday evenings of each month. Addie Lovejoy, Pres.; Clara I. Jordan, Sec'y.

NORWAY ANCHOR LODGE, No. 32, I. O. G. T. meets in K. G. E Hall, the first and third Monday evenings of each month. B. C. Wentworth, L. D., Howard Laselle, C. T., Emma Stone, Secretary. 5*

PENNESSEEWASSEE LODGE, No. 18, K. of P., meet in Knights of Pythias hall, every Thursday evening. Randall O. Porter C. C; W. A. Lewis, K. of R. & S.

OXFORD CASTLE, No. 2, K. G. E., meets in Ryerson Hall, every Wednesday evening; Sept. 1 to May 1; first and third Wednesday evenings, May 1 to Sept. 1. Fred Allen, N. C.; Merton L. Kimball, M. of R.

NORWAY CAMP, No. 10,358 M. W. of A., meets at the Hathaway Block, every Wednesday evening, Frank M. Lovejoy, consul; Percy H. Nevers, clerk.

LAKESIDE LODGE, No. 177, N. E. O. P., meets K. of P. hall, on the first and third Wednesday evenings of each month. H. Ray Bennett, warden; Ada A. Libby, secretary.

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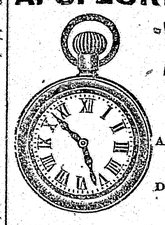
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Written for the Advertiser.

Our Beloved Orders.

[Read at the installation of officers of Elmvue Chapter, O. E. S., Jan. 28, and published by request of members of Keoka Chapter, Waterford.]

F. and A. M. and O. E. S. mystical letters are,
Free and Accepted Masons, Order of the Eastern Star;
Two fraternal orders, with one object in view,
To "do with their might what their hands find to do."
The Holy Bible, which our fore-fathers revered,
The basis on which these orders are reared,
Wisdom, strength and Beauty, the pillars three
Which support the structure of true Masonry.
Faith, Hope and Charity, Biblical virtues we find,
Three rungs of the ladder which Heaven and earth bind,
All should be practiced the Great Master to please,
Yet Charity we find the greatest of these.
The Bible, the Square and Compass, emblems three
Which ever are found in true Masonry,
The guide of all action, to guard each from ill
And teach him to do the Grand Master's will.
The temple of Solomon, in its beauty sublime
The wonder of all ages, in every clime,
A symbol of Truth, Purity and Symmetry
Will ever a pattern to the Masonic brother be.
All down the ages its lessons have been taught
With a sacred meaning in each emblem fraught,
The brothers unaided have e'er labored well,
No sisters admitted—the secrets they'd tell.
But lo! in the East a blazing Star see,
The wives, daughters, mothers, widows and sisters agree
Their privilege and right of the Masons to claim;
Hence, the Chapter, Order of Eastern Star by name.
Nine brief years have now passed away
Since Elmvale Chapter saw its natal day,
When Keoka Chapter from Waterford came
A fraternal order in deed as in name.
Round the sacred altar we bowed the knee,
And together pledged true fidelity,
With twenty-four members the work began,
Our motto: "We'll do the best we can."
From time to time, an alarm at our door
Gave zest to our labors, made our numbers more,
Till now thirty-four sisters and brothers seventeen
Enrolled on our records may be seen.
Increase and prosperity to us have been given
Our thoughts to direct to our Father in Heaven,
Four times the Death Angel has entered our fold.
And robbed us of "links" from the "chain of gold."
We realize our loss to them is great gain
As, freed from Earth's sorrows and bodily pain,
They live with Him Who died to save
And victory gave o'er Death and the Grave.
This eve we're priviledged Keoka Chapter to greet,
'Tis ever a pleasure its members to meet;
Gratefully their help in the past we recall
And happily this eve we welcome them all.
Our officers they're kindly installed tonight,
First, Worthy Matron, sister Fannie D. Wight,
A skilful helper, as her left to sit
Brother Sumner Skillings we think most fit.
Sister Jillson in the associate's chair we see,
Her name a synonym for work and fidelity.
Our records are kept, most correctly, all say,
By our faithful sister, Lelia M. Gay.
Our cash we've intrusted to sister Chute, Lucetta,
No one we believe could care for it better.
Sister Lilla Jillson the candidates will greet,
And impart the instruction she deems most meet.
Her assistant, sister Etta Cobb will be
Whom we trust will labor most faithfully,
Sister Jennie Akers, in her winning way,
For the good of the Order will earnestly pray.
Brother A. R. Clark as our Marshal we see
May he ever "prompt and courteous" be!
Our Organist, Sister Genevieve Walker will be,
Her skilful fingers ever produce harmony.
Five Biblical heroines constitute the Star,
Their names, Adah, Ruth, Esther, Martha and Electra;
Sisters Hicks, Scribner, Clark, Weston and Howe
Represent these, as to the Matron's will they bow.
That no interruption may trouble the order
Sister Mary Hazen we've chosen our warder.
Brother Hicks is stationed just outside the door
That no intruder may cross the threshold o'er.
Like children at school our lessons we con
While the swift current of time ever bears us on;
Lessons of trust and patience, of faith, hope and love,
Our teacher and guide, the kind Father above.
Tho' oft with bitter tears the pages we turn
And blindly refuse Life's lessons to learn,
Yet in later years to our vision 'tis plain
Why to us were allotted the trials and pain.
So may each of our members prove faithful and true
Doing with his might what his hands find to do;
May our wisdom and influence be ever increased,
While we shall be guided by the "Star in the East."

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Bolster's Mills, Jan. 28, 1913.

Written for the Advertiser.

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As we think of our foremother, Eve,
With courage to do and to dare,
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Her face with intelligence bright,
Her language correct and refined;
Showing tenderness, sweetness and light
Of a cultured and virtuous mind.
By piety, conscience and love
With regard for all merciful laws,
For the sake of the dear Christ above,
And great Humanity's cause;
Doth she govern her heart and her life
Like a rythmical harmony sweet,
Unknowing all malice and strife—
A stranger to guile and deceit.
Her husband, her children and friends
Share the charm of her presence so dear,
And each with the other contends
To deserve her respect and good cheer.
Thus to Home, her Country and God
She devotes all the strength of her life;
And in pathways no angels have trod
Walks the ideal, beautiful wife.

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Children's Column.

Bethel, Me., Feb. 3, 1913.

Dear Children:—Mamma took me from the poor house and took me home with her. Mamma Kimball is a good women. She has taught 70 schools and is a good teacher. We live on a farm and we have a nice kitty. And we have some hens and chickens and doves. We live near the schoolhouse and church and pretty cemetery near the church. Rumford Falls is 18 miles from here and telephone. (Middle Intervale, R. 1 No. 37, Bethel, Me.)

BLANCHE ELLEN KIMBALL.

Hiram, Feb. 3, 1913.

Dear Children:—As I see some of your letters in the children's column of the Advertiser I thought I would try and write one. I have a very nice time sliding, I have a little kitten which I have lots of good times with and his name is Hector.

My teacher's name is Jessie Merrifield and the pupils like her very much. I live on a farm with my grandpa and grammy. I have a heifer which is two years old and I call her Pansy and she is very gentle, I can turn her out and water her myself.

I have not been able to attend school this winter but I get my lessons at home when I am well enough. I will close now hoping that more boys and girls will write and make this column interesting.

Age 12 years. EVELYN DURGIN.

NORTHWEST NORWAY.

A number from this place attended Pomona at Bryant Pond.

Nora Martin, the teacher, spent the week-end with her folks at South Paris.

Ethelyn Flint has been the guest of her brother, Leslie Flint. She also visited the Pierce school.

Stevens Abbott has finished work for C. H. Dunn and is now helping his father a few days. Mr. Abbott got badly used up by his four-year-old bull.

Mr. and Mrs. George G. Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Spaulding Abbott, Stevens and Gladys Abbott, Vera West and Audress Bartlett spent a day recently with Mrs. Geo. Abbott's mother, Mrs. J. A. Abbott, at Pike Hill. Mr. and Mrs. Ferd Swan and Fred Swan were also guests of U. S. Grant Abbott.

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EAST STONEHAM.

Lucius Jewett had an ill turn Friday.

Mrs. Raymond McAlister has been ill with the grippe.

Ava Watson of Norway was a guest of Fernando McAlister's, Saturday and Sunday.

John Files has finished his work turning dowels for J. Bartlett and is at home.

Frank McAlister has harvested his ice. The ice in Lower Stone pond is 16 inches.

George Atherton and Ivan Kennard of South Windham are boarding at Fernando McAlister's.

A circle supper and social was held at the Congregational vestry, Thursday evening, Jan. 30. A pleasant evening was passed in music and social chat. The next meeting will be Feb. 13.

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LYNCHVILLE.

Arthur Kniston has returned home.

Lee Holt and Lester Hobbs are at work in the spool mill.

Thankful Adams came home Saturday sick with the grip.

C. N. Eastman went to South Paris on business Saturday.

Mrs. Eugene McKeen's niece, Flora Wheeler, is staying with her.

Burnham McKeen visited Harry McKeen, Saturday, at West Stoneham.

Adelaide Ramsdell is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Holt.

Lila McAllister is visiting Etha McAlister who is at work for Mrs. Charles Marston of Albany.

Elmer Cordwell has suffered a great deal with his eye. He recently got a piece of steel in it.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McKeen visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler at Sumner, Saturday and Sunday.

Clothing of Quakers.

The clothing of the Quakers used to be distinctive but this is changing in morern times. Even in the oldest meeting houses in Philadelphia each year sees less of the old Quaker bonnets, the quaint white kerchiefs and plain gray dresses of the women and the broad brimmed hats and collarless cutaway coats of the men while "selected styles in millinery" and "spring openings in dress goods" are now as promiuent a feature of the advertising columns of the "Friend's Intelligencer," as of any other publication designed for family reading.

With the vanishing of this outward garb has gone too much of the "plain" language. Most of the younger Friends now dispense with the "thee" when conversing with those of other denominations. In fact there is nothing about the majority of the modern Friends to distinguish them from other people but this does not indicate that they have not in their hearts a firm belief in their spiritual light but rather that they are learning to live in the world and yet to be not of it.

From their earliest history, the Friends have given much attention to education and their schools and colleges take high rank. They have colleges for men at Haverford, Pa.; Wilmington, Ohio.; Earlham, Ind.; Oskaloosa, Ia.; Newberg, Oregon, and in Ontario. Bryn Mawr College is a Quaker institution taking front rank among the women's colleges of the world. In addition to the colleges are a large number of secondary schools each of which takes high rank for the quality of the work required.

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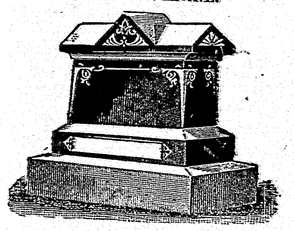

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Guessing.

DEAR EDITOR:—I was reading today in the column of reviews of recent novels in the "American Review of Reviews" a remark denoting uncertainty respecting the authorship of a book receiving the favorable comment of the reviewer, and the opinion that it was written by the author of another book as the style was so similar. I have frequently noticed and read with exceeding interest articles in both prose and verse, without any signature in the dear Advertiser, and used to bother my brains trying to think who the author might be.

For instance: I was much impressed by reading a half column article a few weeks ago entitled "God's Arithmetic." I read it, and I read it again and as I saw no authors name I guessed, and I have been guessing ever since. In another paper, Jan. 17th is "The Old Barn" and "Aunt Tabitha," and in another paper "Reflections at Pike Hill burying ground, Norway." no name. I noted recently that an esteemed lady correspondent was wishing to know who the author of the last named poem might be. I have no doubt many others are in the same quandary of guessing: but it is all in vain, unless, indeed, you have some personal reason for not publishing the author's name?

The contributions named above are all too good of their kind to be criticized, and I fear I am taking a liberty in my thus commenting upon them that may not be pleasing to the author if he or she should ever know of my having such curiosity with regard to the matter of authorship of those superlative gems of literature with which your readers are quite often treated.

I am tempted to send you a little poem of my own, which has lain hidden away for a number of years. If it is not good enough to be available for the Advertiser, you may drop it in the waste basket or return it to me at your convenience.

Sincerely your friend,

GRANVILLE FERNALD.

P. S.—That was an immensely fine "kick" at Norway streets in the last paper. I wonder, "when will Norway mend her ways?"

Again, I tender my sympathy to the author of "Not Knowing" in the last paper.

"O, restful, blissful ignorance!" Perhaps, "Tis blessed not to know."

NORTH PARIS.

Willie Mason was sick and unable to attend school for several days.

Asaph Churchill and wife have been sick with severe colds or grip.

Gladys Trask has been to the hospital for an operation on her throat.

Bernard E well spent Saturday and Sunday with his sister, Mrs. L. E. Morgan, at Greenwood.

Mr. Mrs. B. C. Lowe and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Cushman attended the drama, dance and supper at East Sumner.

Birchard Lowe went to South Paris and had eight teeth extracted, adenoids removed, and a piece clipped from his palate.

ALBANY.

A. A. Bruce has finished working for L. J. Andrews.

Shirley Haseltine and family were Sunday guests at John Wheeler's.

A social dance was held Saturday evenings, Feb. 1 and 8, at the town house.

Mrs. Eben Barker, Mrs. Lucien Andrews and Mrs. Guptil were at Lewiston, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Beckler, George Cummins, Maud and Mabel Beckler attended Pomona Grange at Bryant Pond.

Songo Road.

Harry Churchill has finished work for Hapgood Bros.

Homer Smith of Bethel is cutting wood for C. F. Upton.

Mrs. Chas. Rollins and son, Raynold, of Auburn have been at C. F. Upton's.

Ella Baker and Mrs Carl Upton, who have been sick with the grip for the past three weeks, are much better.

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SOUTH ALBANY.

The Old Bass Viol

The Wildcats met at James Kimball's, Thursday evening, and were entertained by the Wildcat Orchestra of six pieces, Hazel Wardwell, banjo; Lin Flint, banjo; Leon Kimball, Mandolin; Gladys Sperrin, piano; Cecil Kimball, violin and James Kimball on the bass viol, which is about 90 years old and which was used by his father before him. Everyone who, in years gone by, attended services held in the old church in Albany, which used to stand near W. W. Bird's mill, will remember the familiar figure of Deacon Esram Kimball as he stood up and drew his bow across the strings of this same old bass viol, which is in prime condition now and is used by the son, J. A. Kimball.

Roy Lord recently bought a horse of John Grover.

Mrs. Mary Dresser, of North Waterford, has visited at Merritt Sawins'.

Daniel Sperrin, wife and daughter, of Bethel, have visited at James Kimball's, a few days.

Ernest Browne is cutting and hauling timber from his place to Harry Browne's mill at Stoneham.

Lee Holt has finished work for Walter Lord, and Alton Paine of South Waterford has been at work for him.

One of Walter Lord's horses injured its leg in such a manner as to cause it to swell very badly and he was unable to use it any.

Winnie Knight of North Waterford was out with his auto and came up this way, over the hills, without any trouble even if the roads were icy.

Helen Holt invited several of the little girls, in the place, to her home to help celebrate her eighth birthday, Saturday afternoon. There was a nice treat of cake, cocoa, candy and peanuts. They spent a pleasant afternoon and left some pretty gifts.

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EAST FRYEBURG.

Armand Warren has been sick.

Mrs. H. W. Lord remains about the same.

Dancing school is on the last half and open to the public.

Mildred Cole spent the week-end with Elvira Pendexter.

Lillie Bassett spent the week-end at her home in Lovell.

Simon Smith of Stow visited his sister, Mrs. Anna Hodsdon.

Gus Smith of East Conway has been at E. E. Hodsdon's for a few days.

Orin Osgood has gone to Stow, logging. Wilson Harnden is doing chores for him.

Milton Warren has gone to Pinehurst, N. C., to run an automobile for the rest of the season.

SOUTH RUMFORD.

Perley Putnam remains about the same.

Mrs. Fred Hubbard has been confined to the house by illness.

Florrie Jordan is working in the telephone office as telephone operator.

On account of so much sickness, the Larkin Club gave up their card party.

Helen Ladd spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Keith.

Les Elliott, who has been very sick with lagrippe and an abscess in his head is gaining very slowly.

Hulda Lapham has been working in the office for Dr. E. A. Sheey taking her sister's place while she has been ill.

One of Fred Cunningham's horses fell through the stable floor and hurt him so badly they are afraid he will have to be killed. It seems too bad as he was a beautiful horse.

Work and Idleness.

Of all the mistaken ideas in the world is the one that happiness comes from not being obliged to work. The woman who envies her neighbor because the latter has no household cares, should really pity her.

How often do we hear it said of a wealthy man: "What a fool he is to work with all the money he has. He could retire and do nothing all the rest of his life."

To the average man of moderate means, perfect happiness he conceives to be idleness varied by traveling, visiting theatres and riding in motor cars. To him that falls little short of the heavenly state. But the truth is the ideal life, comes from and through work.

The man or woman with nothing to do, no responsibilities can hardly be other than wretched. For a few weeks it may be delightful to forget business cares, to travel, to visit art and picture galleries, to see famous actors and theaters and to listen to world renowned musicians. But when it begins to pall, and it will begin to pall, then does the realization come that sightseeing is a frightful business occupation.

It is in the course of service of usefulness of some sort, that real happiness is attained. And that is the reason the idle person is seldom if ever happy.

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Coming Events.

Feb. 20—Sweet Lavender, Norway Opera House.
Feb. 21—Norway Board of Trade banquet, Grange Hall, Norway.
March 7—Chapman Concert, Norway Opera House.
May 1—Calico Ball, Norway Opera House.

BUCKFIELD.

Struck by Passenger Train.

While walking on the track of the Maine Central railroad at Buckfield, Saturday afternoon, Russell Tuttle, 54 years old, was struck by passenger train No. 226 and instantly killed. Mr. Tuttle lived with a son in Buckfield.

County Attorney Fred Dyer was notified by Division Superintendent Elmer Lovejoy of Rumford, but has not decided whether an inquest will be held.

LOCKE'S MILLS.

Azel Bryant is sick.

George Tuttle is repairing the hall.

Mrs. George Farr is very low at this writing.

C. B. Tebbetts' baby is threatened with pneumonia.

Winfield Howe of Bethel called on his friends Tuesday.

Agnes Campbell spent Sunday at her home at Mechanic Falls.

Harold Crooker of South Paris visited with his parents, Sunday.

Mrs. L. C. Trask spent last week with relatives in Gorham, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Rand were in Norway, Tuesday, on business.

Mrs. D. S. York of Bethel spent Wednesday with Mrs. C. R. Bartlett.

Alice Brown and Eva Bryant called on friends at Bethel, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tirrell and son were in South Paris on business Thursday.

Frank Engleman of Greene and his team have come here to work for C. B. Tebbetts.

Mrs. John Titus of South Paris visited her daughter, Mrs. Frank Hathorn, who is ill, Thursday.

Mrs. Lester Whitman and Mrs. C. R. Bartlett attended Pomona at Bryant Pond, Tuesday.

Mrs. Roy Brown and little son of Bethel were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. William Holt of Indian Rock camps, Hanover, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Bartlett, Friday.

Mrs. Moses Knight passed quietly away Saturday after a lingering illness of several years from consumption. She leaves besides a husband, a son and several grandchildren.

OXFORD

The sick list in this town is large.

Minnie Kemp, who has been sick with the grippe, is better.

Kate McKay is visiting her brother, Rev. Malcolm McKay, here.

Mrs. Anna Edwards is visiting her son, Ralph Edwards, at Dixfield.

The Juniors of the High School are preparing a drama "Mrs. Busby's Boarders" which they hope to play soon.

Mrs. Samuel Eaton, wife of Representative Eaton from this district, has been spending a few days in Augusta, and while there attended the Governor's Ball.

Class 4 of the Congregational Sunday School assisted by friends gave an entertainment and sociable Monday evening Feb. 3rd. The program consisted of readings and both vocal and instrumental music and a farce, entitled "Engaging Jeanette." About $14 was cleared.

The Guild will meet Saturday evening with Mrs. Cook, Lillian Andrews, teacher.

Mrs. Maria Heslop met with a bad accident last week while working in the mill. She slipped and her left hand struck the machine, and jammed her wrist and hand. A physician was called and dressed the hand. It is very painful but is getting along as well as could be expected.

Rev. E. L. Saxton gave his congregation a great sermon Sunday, from the text Mark 9 35, "If any man desires to be first, the same shall be last of all and servant of all." He paid a beautiful tribute to the life and works of Abraham Lincoln. Mr. Saxton is liked by his people and they consider themselves very fortunate in securing his services. The music was grand. Mr. Jones is a great choir leader. He has a large class of beginners in training for future service.

Women captured Augusta, Wednesday. The committee after the hearing gave a unanimous vote for equal suffrage.

MARRIAGES.

In South Paris, Feb. 1, by Rev. E. A. Davis, George E. McCallum and Joanna M. Homan, both of South Paris.

BIRTHS.

In West Paris, Jan. 24, to the wife of Henry Kahkonen, a son.

DEATHS.

In Kezar Falls, Feb. 7, Charles Gilpatrick, aged about 50 years.
In Denmark, Feb. 4, Mrs. Abbie (Potter) Kilgore, aged 62 years, 8 months.
In Denmark, Feb. 6, Frank Jewett, aged 61 years.
In Brownfield, Feb. 5, Thomas Walker, aged 73 years.
In Brownfield, Feb. 7, Freeman Day.
In Buckfield, Feb. 8, Ripley Tuttle, aged 84 years.
In Lewiston, Feb. 5, Charles Gray of Wetchville, aged 73 years.
In East Bethel, Feb. 4, Mrs. Abby Dolly Haines, aged 81 years.
In West Paris, Feb. 4, Mrs. Laura Dunham Reed, aged years.
In Buckfield, Feb. 1, John Elmer Thompson, aged 63 years.
In Harrison, Feb. 4, William H. Bailey, aged 75 years.
In North Waterford, Feb. 8, Daniel B. Lebroke, age 95 years, 25 days.

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A FALSE JUDGMENT.

"He is an old tightwad!"

I overheard that much and afterward this further arraignment:

"I tell you he is the stingiest man in town. He insists on the last red cent that is coming to him. He is as close as the bark on a tree, and it is well known he gives away nothing in a worthy cause."

Severe? But only half true.

I know the man referred to. He is close in his dealings and insists upon payment of what is due him, but he is prompt in the payment of what he owes, meeting his bills when due. He is honest, and his credit is good, which cannot always be said of some who have the reputation for generosity.

And there is another phase of the matter.

This man who is held to be close fisted has a large family. Though fairly prosperous, he needs all his money. He slaves and saves, not for himself, but for his family. Perhaps he would prefer a reputation for generous giving, but because of those dependent upon him he must drive hard bargains and insist upon prompt payment.

More than that—

One of his children is a life cripple. Another is incapable of making his way in the world. And also he is educating an orphan niece.

Those who called this man a "tightwad" did not know the facts.

Stingy?

On the contrary, my friend lavishes all his strength and tenderness and money on those who need his first and greatest care. Without regret he gives himself to severe labors and close calculation for their sakes. He is not a demonstrative man, but his intimate friends know his big heart always yearns over his helpless ones.

Stern and cold?

Possibly. He is not of the sort to wear his heart on his sleeve. For years he has buffeted the waves of crushing trouble and many sorrows. Maybe his view of things is wrong, but he feels, no doubt, that he must fight a world that little knows or cares for him or his. While they say of him that he is hard and unfeeling, in reality he is as tender as a child.

You see—

Exteriors are deceptive. You cannot tell by looking at a man what may be his thorn in the flesh.

Therefore—

"Judge not that ye be not judged."

THE WALK TO THE WINDOW.

If your world needs you it will find you.

It will hunt you up and come to your doorway and knock.

Or if you do business at a window, as does A. H. Clark of Mount-Sterling, Ill., it will find its way to your window.

It is a much frequented walk, that walk to Mr. Clark's window. He has a front door to his house with a cement walk leading thereto. And he has another walk, but narrower, that runs diagonally to the corner of his house and thence to a window.

Right under this window the narrow walk gets larger. It affords standing room for two or three men.

And Mr. Clark's world comes to his window. Almost there is a procession, and when you stand near the window you can see that Mr. Clark is reclining on his bed.

This is why:

Twenty-five years ago the lower half of his body was paralyzed. To all appearance that was the knockout blow for Mr. Clark, for he was a farmer and stockman.

Nevertheless—

Instead of this affliction ending his career it was rather the beginning of greater activity and prosperity and usefulness.

He used the window and the walk to the window.

Usally Mr. Clark feeds about 500 cattle every winter. He never sees one of them, but he sees and knows the men who do. Lying on his bed and using his brains—and other men—he has been unusually successful.

Moreover—

He is acutely interested in the world's affairs and in the affairs of his neighborhood. He is a devoted member and supporter of his church. On Sunday a telephone catches for his eager ear every word of sermon and of song that enters into the worship of the day.

But, best of all—

He is mentor and confidant of the men and women and children who at all hours of the day come over the walk to his window for counsel and encouragement. Seldom do they go away unhelped.

There is the picture: With hearty, smiling face inside his window, where the walk enlarges and ends, lies the patient man who gives hope and cheer. His world needs and finds him.

THE OLD HORSE.

Old Bill is no beauty.

He is knockkneed as you can see where he stands there, obedient to your will. Fifteen years ago his legs were as trim as a young thoroughbred's. They have sagged in your service. With pride in his going qualities, you drove him pell mell over hard roads. You let him stand by a hitching rack while you dallied. Stamping in summer at the flies and in winter to keep his blood in circulation, pounded over pavements—what wonder he is knockkneed?

His old head droops.

Once he had a lordly neck, "clothed with thunder." You used the overcheck, causing a painful tension of the flexor muscles of the neck, hindering free respiration and circulation and causing quick fatigue. He can't hold up his head very long.

Bunches of gray hair on his back?

Saddle galls made by your hard riding in his willingness to go your gait. When you hurried for the doctor or rode to catch up with the other fellows, you forgot about the blanket under the saddle.

Sweenied also.

You did that. The collar of a set of harness did not fit Bill's shoulders, and the hames of the plowing set were not properly adjusted. Sometimes when the season was dry and dusty Bills shoulders were galled and sore. But he never complained.

His eyes are bad.

You see, his normal vision, as of all horses, is more earthward than upward, but you reined his head up, causing eye strain. And then sometimes the harness had blinders and sometimes it had none. Dust and lack of sunshade helped. And when Bill got a cinder or dust in his eye he never spoke about it, and you failed to notice the fact. You see the animal simply couldn't wipe his eyes.

Blemishes?

Plenty. Note the bumps and scars on old Bill's legs. There was a time when he interfered and you did not have him properly shod. In winter he was turned into a small field fenced with barb wire. On account of his high rein he sometimes stumbled on the hard road and bruised his legs.

Some good in him yet?

Sure. You haven't quite killed him. Sometimes when his digestion is good and there is a level stretch of road he can go some. It is pathetic to note, though, how quickly he is played out.

As he stands there, so you have made him. And in spite of your abuse he loves you and whinnies on your approach.

Take good care of old Bill!

Else, sometime or somewhere, it may go hard with you.

WHERE DO YOU LIVE?

Asked that question, you would give the name of the town in which or near which you reside.

But that is not where you live. That is merely the place where you are staying. You live in a world apart from your daily abode. For instance:

Some live in a world of leisure.

They live a lounging sort of existence, lolling through the hours, taking the line of least resistance, choosing the things that make for luxury and ease. Caring only for themselves, dodging all hardness, they seek the pampered way.

Others live in a world of action.

They are restless, unquiet, agitated. Roving in spirit, ambitious of doing, they are incessant, brisk, lively. They go the pace.

Some live in a world of dissipation.

These walk daily the primrose path of dalliance. They cry: "Let us chase the winged butterfly of pleasure! Watch the dryads dance! Listen to the patter of the fountain! Eat, drink and be merry, for tomorrow we die!"

Some live in a world of thought.

The mind to them a kingdom is. Pitying alike those who dally and those who riot, theirs is the world of intellect. In that world they live, move and have their being. They are the rare people who are good company for themselves.

Others live in a world of feeling.

Though easily moved, they are slow of action, enjoying the mere exercise of their emotions. They are quite ready to laugh with those who laugh and mourn with those who mourn, but slow to dry the mourner's tear. Having keen sensibilities, each new sensation gives them delight.

Some live in a world of service.

They ask nothing better than the chance to aid their fellows, and they give to that service the best—themselves. Kindness and good will, charity and helpfulness distinguish their lives.

Others live in a world of sacrifice.

These are they who find their highest joy, their deepest sense of living, in the elimination of self. Rare spirits are they who have learned that "the way of the cross leads home."

And there are few other worlds than these.

In which of them do you live? How does it suit you?

Have you ever discussed with yourself the possibility of moving out of the world in which you live into one that will suit you better?

THE BLIND WHO SEE.

General William Booth, head of the Salvation army, is declared by his physicians to be "hopelessly blind."

No! They are mistaken.

General Booth has merely lost his eyesight. He is not hopelessly blind.

What do I mean? This:

Few of us are able with our natural eyes to see things in their full proportion. Oculists tell us we can see not more than 50 per cent of the objects at which we look.

But—

We can see farther and more with our minds than with our eyes! With our eyes we may see one side of a thing while with our "mind's eye" we may see many sides.

With our mental vision or spiritual sight when we are at our best we see things as they are, because the spiritual vision is strong. And it is never hopeless.

Think, then, of what this old man can see in his so called blindness.

During his almost ninety years he has looked upon the spectacle of a world in need. He has not cared to see material things such as houses and works of art. He has gone to the haunts of the wretched to see suffering.

Where others' eyes have looked upon the homes of vice and woe and want and were turned away, shocked and appalled by that which they have seen, the eyes of William Booth have been turned in keenest sympathy.

And thus seeing, he has not turned away, save it may be to find some way by which the suffering might be relieved, the wayward saved, and the hopeless redeemed.

And this vision of a world of sin and suffering he still can see.

And seeing, he can help.

Hopelessly blind?

Why, this good old seer is one of the few living men who can see things as they are and as they ought to be.

What a vision must come to the grand old man—a vision of men and women fallen low, a vision of ministering spirits whom he has sent to help these fallen ones to arise, a vision from the spiritual hills whence all his marvelous strength has come!

Blind?

Why, he can see both earth and paradise.

NORTH WATERFORD.

Charles Cheever is on the sick list.

Grandma Perkins, as she is called by many, is very sick.

James Pledge will pay 10c per pound for dressed pigs until further notice.

Mr. and Mrs. George Holt of Bryant's Pond visited relatives here a few days, last week.

Edith Waterhouse and Hattie Richardson were at Simon Richardson's, Sunday afternoon.

Rev. B. W. Hague, who has been confined to his house for a week with grip, is able to be out again.

Mrs. Sewell Abbott, who has been staying with her sister, Mrs. E. J. Paige, helping care for their father, was called home Sunday, as her husband was very sick.

Mrs. Sumner Grover, who has been caring for her aunt, Mrs. Oliver McAllister, has returned home, so Mrs. McAllister has no one to do the work and care for her only her husband. It seems pretty hard for them as she is very sick and cannot lie down.

Grace Elliott, a past president installed the following officers of the W. R. C., Thursday afternoon:

Pres.—Caroline Plummer.
Sen. V. Pres.—Lilla Rice.
Chap.—Lottisa Knight.
Con.—Grace Elliott.
Asst. Con.—Edid Elliott.
Guard—Jennie McAllister.
Asst. Guard—Emily Paige.
Sec.—Martha Black.
Treas.—Rosa York.
Press Cor.—Annie Hazelton.
Color Bearers, 1st.—Pearl Robson.
" " 2d.—Lolo McAllister.
" " 3d.—Minnie McKeen.
" " 4th.—Ethel Lovejoy.

After the installation the Past President Honor Bartlett was presented with a Corps pin by the Corp members. A supper was served for the public and a short entertainment given. The Junior Vice Lucy Kilgore was not installed on account of illness.

Bisbeetown.

Mrs. Chandler Merrill is in very poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Fiske went to Locke Mills, Saturday, to visit his son, Elmer Fiske, and family.

Mrs. Harry Hill and daughter Dorothy are visiting her mother, Mrs. M. J. Bisbee, who has been quite sick.

WHERE THE STRIKE HITS.

—Carter in Boston Journal.

"I'll take care of you," Tom promised.

Daddy's Bedtime Story—

The Gray Mouse That Was Friends With the Cat

EVELYN had wondered if cats and mice were ever friends.

"Sure not, silly!" said Jack.

"Once upon a time," said daddy, "a little gray mouse and a big gray cat became very great friends. Mousie had sharp ears, and when Tom took a notion to lick the cream off the milk pans in the dairy it was useful to have Mousie keep watch at the door.

"While Tom was asleep Mousie could prowl about and see if the cook had left anything uncovered in the pantry or on the cellar shelves.

"Then when Tom awakened he could hurry down and have a bite, while Mousie took care to let him know in time to get away unseen in case any one came along.

"'When winter comes I'll take care of you,' Tom promised Mousie. 'You won't need to go about in the cold looking for food. I'm going to put something away for both of us to eat then.'

"One day Tom found a jar of potted meat. He wasn't hungry, so he said to Mousie:

"'Here, we'll put this away for winter. Where shall we store it?'

"So Tom put the meat away in a dark corner of the church cellar behind a pile of old wood, and the two went home very happy.

"Well, the next day after he had found the meat Tom was a trifle hungry. He managed to pick up something, but on his way home he thought he would just try the pot of meat in the church cellar to find out if it was as good as it looked. It was delicious, and Tom was licking his chops when he got home.

"'What's that on your whiskers?' Mousie asked as Tom whisked off a speck of the meat that still clung to them.

"'Don't bother me,' answered Tom crossly.

"'I've a notion to run over to the church cellar and take a look at that meat.' Mousie said one evening as she waited for Tom to come home.

"She crept over very quietly, and when she got up on top of the pile of wood and looked down at the jar there was Tom cleaning the very last speck of meat out of it.

"'Oh, Tom!' she cried. 'Oh, Tom, how could you?'

"Tom started. When he saw who was looking at him he was angry.

"'G-r-r-r!' he growled, and the made a spring at the mouse, and quick as a wink he had gobbled her up.

"'Mouse meat's the best kind of meat, after all—for cats,' said cruel Tom as he sat washing himself after his meal. So, my children, you may decide whether, if you were mice, it would be wise to be friends with a cat."

Years of Suffering

Catarrh and Blood Disease—Doctors Failed to Cure.

Miss Mabel F. Dawkins, 1214 Lafayette St., Fort Wayne, Ind., writes: "For three years I was troubled with catarrh and blood disease. I tried several doctors and a dozen different remedies, but none of them did me any good. A friend told me of Hood's Sarsaparilla. I took two bottles of this medicine and was as well and strong as ever. I feel like a different person and recommend Hood's to any one suffering from catarrh."

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Diet for Growing Children.

Every mother who has been in England, and many of those who have not, know how healthy and happy is the average English child.

Their good health is due largely to the effect of early training, especially in the matter of diet, for English mothers of all stations in life pay a great deal more attention to the feeding of their little ones than do the mothers of American children. We may learn some valuable lessons from our English cousins along these lines.

It is the English mother's custom to give her growing children plenty of good nourishing food, the simple foods that are easily digested, yet rich in nutriment. She gives them plenty of two or three dishes at one meal, never more, for simplicity is her keynote of success in child training and feeding.

The English mothers seem to know instinctively that light and nourishing foods are essential to the well being of little people; that indigestible, highly seasoned dishes and twice-cooked foods must be avoided, while special care must be exercised in the preparation of dishes which are to grace the nursery table.

The English mother also insists upon a nursery for her children, where their meals are served from the time they are able to sit at table until they are well in their "teens." They are seldom allowed to eat with the older members of the family and therefore are spared the temptation to partake of the heavier, richer foods served at the regular meals.

Many children are naturally very fastidious in their tastes, taking violent dislikes to different kinds of foods, and have such small appetites that the mother is often puzzled to know just what the child will like and how to tempt it to eat.

Though it is very necessary that little people should have the required amount of nourishment, it is impossible sometimes to suit the vagaries of the individual. Often the largest children eat the least, and frail thin people have ravenous appetites.

When a child has an aversion to meat this can be supplied the system by giving it delicate broths made from fresh meat or small pieces of bread soaked in the "dish" gravy of the roast. Bread cut in fancy shapes, toasted, and then soaked in hot bacon fat is exceedingly nourishing and often much appreciated as a breakfast dish. This can be given a fancy name, one coined by the mother just for her own children.

Children who apparently do not eat enough at meals should be given nourishment every two hours—a small glass of milk, which should be taken very slowly, a little beef tea, a bar of chocolate or a piece of sponge cake. At meals, vegetables and fresh stewed fruit should play an important part; milk and rich meat soups are good, and the homely milk puddings valuable assets to the general diet.

Puddings made of rice and other cereals should be cooked slowly, allowing plenty of time for the thorough cooking of the grain, and should be served in as attractive manner as possible, in as many different ways as possible.

A light breakfast, a hearty dinner in the middle of the day, with a very light tea about 4 o'clock, and then supper at 6 consisting of some nourishing broth, a sandwich or two, and a little sweet, is the proper kind and division of food for the growing child to insure the best of health, strength and vitality to the future man and woman.

SOUTH WATERFORD.

Annie Hamlin is visiting her parental home for a brief season.

Mrs. L. E. McIntire is reported convalescent from her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Watson are entertaining as a winter guest, their young granddaughter, Ruthie Watson of Haverhill, Mass.

Alfred S. Kimball is hauling a year's supply of hard wood for the use of the South village school, delivering it ready fitted and stored in shed.

Mrs. Sarah Smith of Salem, N. H., who has been making a protracted visit in the family of her daughter, Mrs. F. P. Hoyt, returned to her home, last week.

Owing to the absence, last Sunday, of Rev. G. W. Sias in attendance at the Boy Scout Conference in Portland, no service was held at the South Church.

W. K. Hamlin received a handsome gold filled watch as first prize for his exhibition of Waterford Creamery butter at the recent State Dairy Convention.

Will Goodwin and Will Green have landed a large quantity of peeled hemlock and other timber at the mill drawing it from the old Hamlin Mountain farm.

The Ladies' Union Circle of the South Parish will be held at Grange Hall on the evening of Feb. 19. Supper from 6:30 to 8 o'clock, followed by a literary and musical program.

Albert and Carl Hamlin and Merton Kimball returned home from the State College on Saturday week, where they had been taking instruction during the short term in dairying.

Bear Mountain Grange makes a worthy beginning of the year by the initiation of four candidates at its last meeting, upon whom were conferred two degrees of the order, of Patrons. A brief but excellent program was presented by Misses McKinney, Day and Kilgore, interspersed by several fine songs by the choir, accompanied by sisters, Kneeland and Sanderson.

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WELCHVILLE.

Charles Gray.

Charles Gray died of dropsy, Feb. 5th at the French Hospital at Lewiston, aged 73 years. The deceased leaves two sons, Herbert and Charles Gray, and one brother, Herbert Gray. His religious associations were with the Advent Church at Oxford. The funeral was from his late home in Welchville. Miss Reta Glover of Oxford the attending minister. Interment in Town House Hill Cemetery.

Buildings Burned.

Adelbert Yeaton from Bridgton, where he works, drove through to Welchville Saturday afternoon and put up his team John Baker's barn. He then went to his brother's, Bert Yeaton's.

While eating supper, Frank Baker rushed in and told him his buildings were all on fire. A crowd rushed to the fire but the buildings were burned flat, house and barn.

The buildings were unoccupied and the cause of the fire is unknown. The fire broke out about 6 30 P. M. Adelbert Yeaton owned the buildings. They were insured.

Mrs. Etta Staples, who has been sick, is better.

Bell Lunt spent a few days in Portland last week.

There is to be an entertainment at the Methodist Church, Lincoln's night.

Mrs. Lottie Hunting and daughter Florence were in Lewiston, Saturday.

Mrs. David Staples is on the sick list. It is very sickly here in Welchville. Mrs. Sarah Thurston, who was sick only two days, died with double pneumonia.

PIGEON HILL.

Chas. Pike was in town, Friday.

Clifford Tyner has returned home from Raymond.

Will Marston is cutting wood for Chas. Jordan.

Frank True made the trip from Portland, Saturday, in his auto.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tyner attended Otisfield Grange, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Leander Wardwell called at the Morey Farm one day last week.

Mrs. James King and mother, Mrs. Brown, called at John King's, Saturday.

Chas. Denning delivered 300 pounds of chicken and fowl at Poland Springs, last week.

Mr. James Grant and son Percy have returned home, after spending a few weeks in Florida.

Chas. Strout, Mr. John King and William Bumpus attended court in Auburn, last week.

Chas. Jordan, who has been away for some months, is reported as very much improved in health.

Mrs. Chas. Strout, Mrs. Horace Sylvester and Mrs. John King spent Tuesday of last week in Auburn.

Mrs. Sarah Wardwell who suffered very much last week with neuraliga in the head, is much better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pulsifer, Maud Haskell and brother Ned, attended the races at Range Pond, Saturday afternoon.

Sunday, the 9th, was a record breaker for coldness on the "hill." It was zero in the morning and failed to move up much during the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Denning spent Sunday with Mrs. Denning's father, Robert Thomas, of East Oxford, Feb. 10th being the anniversary of his marriage and of his 70th birthday, also of his twin sister, Mary Parsons, who lives in Paris. He was remembered by cards, letters from friends and a large birthday cake from his daughter Rose. His three children were there with him Sunday.

How to Brighten a Dark Room.

In nearly every home there is always sure to be one dark and gloomy room. It casts its depression upon all who enter it, and yet one is often at a loss as to what should be done to dissipate the lugubrious effect.

It should be dealt with ruthlessly. White paint and enamel should be used with a generous hand. Dark woodwork should not be tolerated, and dull or gloomy paper should be avoided. Hang the room in a paper of sunny yellow hue, put up only curtains of thin net and decorate your walls with pictures framed in white and gold and silver gray frames.

Many mirrors, if possible, should be used, for they aid wonderfully in brightening a dark room, but they must not be hung too high, as they will only reflect the ceiling, while they should catch the cheerful frame of an open fire and repeat its gleam.

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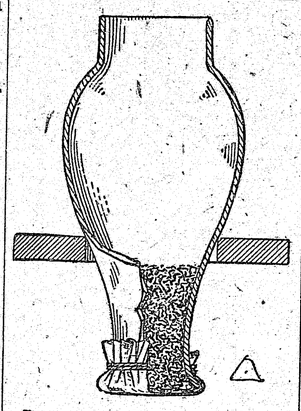

Procure an ordinary lamp chimney and fit two or three thicknesses of cheesecloth over the end of it. Press a tuft of absorbent cotton into the small part of the neck to a depth of about three inches. Insert the chimney in a hole cut in a wood shelf used as a support. Pour the water in until the filter is filled, when it will be observed that any organic matter, chips of iron rust, etc., will be retained by the cotton. The fine organic matter may penetrate the cotton for about one inch, but no farther. The resultant filtered water will be clear and pure.

Laundering Lace Curtains.

Shake well to remove dust, soak in cold water to which you have added ammonia, souse up and down a few minutes, then put in soapy water and let stand while you make a thin starch, to which add a little alum. Add a cupful of this starch to your blue water if curtains are white. If cream boil in water that has a little coffee added to it. Rinse again, starch and hang, not pin, out on line. Dry thoroughly, damped, fold lengthwise and let stand over night if possible. Iron them as you would a tablecloth, folded in half lengthwise and then folded in half lengthwise again, pressing out each point sidewise or if ruffled ironing ruffle first. Fish net curtains launder beautifully if done this way and if allowed to dry in the last fold thoroughly will hang very straight.

Sausages and Rice.

Take a medium sized white onion, chop fine and brown it slightly in butter. Add half a cupful of rice, a pinch of salt, shake of pepper and moisten it with a pint of boiling stock or bouillon. Bring to a boil, cover it and cook gently. It is said to be a mistake to wash rice the usual way and that it should be put in a piece of cheesecloth or fine sieve and water poured over it, then the rice spread out on a cloth to drain. Never stir the rice while boiling it. It is done when it absorbs all the fluid. Now add butter the size of an egg and mix in the rice, using a silver fork. Place rice in serving dish. While cooking the rice get ready twelve very small sausages, roast them and place on top of the rice.

Puree of Artichokes.

Wash and scrape one quart of Jerusalem artichokes cut in small pieces Boil in salted water until soft. Drain and press through a sieve. Scald one quart of milk with one large slice of onion, remove the onion and add the strained artichoke. Soften three tablespoonfuls of butter and blend it with two tablespoonfuls of flour, add to the soup and cook five minutes. Season with salt and pepper and one tablespoonful of chopped parsley. Serve with croutons.

Turnip and Onion Salad.

Peel one large white and one yellow turnip, boil in salted water until tender, drain, cool and cut into dice. Peel and cut a medium sized Bermuda onion in thin slices. Arrange the turnips and onions in alternate layers in the form of a pyramid, surround with slices of hard boiled eggs and pickled beets cut in fancy shapes and serve with French or boiled dressing.

Ginger Beer.

One ounce root ginger, pounded fine. Peel one lemon, take off all the white, cut in slices and add one pound sugar. Let all come to a boil; watch closely as it runs over quickly. After it has boiled add a gallon of warm water. When it is about blood heat add one half yeast cake. Let stand twelve hours, pour off the top and bottle.

Baked Tomatoes a la Roma.

Cook together the centers of six large tomatoes, two tablespoonfuls of olive oil, one onion, one slice bacon chopped fine, one-half teaspoonful of chopped parsley and salt and pepper. Cook five minutes, add half a cupful of breadcrumbs, fill tomatoes with this mixture, dust with crumbs and grated cheese and bake half an hour.

Music Hath Charms.

Many animals show a fondness for music, and there are ancient stories of men who have subdued the fiercest wild beasts by soothing them with sweet sounds. Shy as the deer is, it has been known to stand and listen to the sound of the bagpipe, and a herd of twenty stags was seen following a pipe and violin, going forward while the music played and standing still when it stopped.

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Several other lots at Reduced Prices.

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All odd lots at cut prices to close.

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SOUTH PARIS, MAINE

WELCHVILLE.

Charles Gray.

Charles Gray died of dropsy, Feb. 5th at the French Hospital at Lewiston, aged 73 years. The deceased leaves two sons, Herbert and Charles Gray, and one brother, Herbert Gray. His religious associations were with the Advent Church at Oxford. The funeral was from his late home in Welchville. Miss Reta Glover of Oxford the attending minister. Interment in Town House Hill Cemetery.

Buildings Burned.

Adelbert Yeaton from Bridgton, where he works, drove through to Welchville Saturday afternoon and put up his team John Baker's barn. He then went to his brother's, Bert Yeaton's.

While eating supper, Frank Baker rushed in and told him his buildings were all on fire. A crowd rushed to the fire but the buildings were burned flat, house and barn.

The buildings were unoccupied and the cause of the fire is unknown. The fire broke out about 6 30 P. M. Adelbert Yeaton owned the buildings. They were insured.

Mrs. Etta Staples, who has been sick, is better.

Bell Lunt spent a few days in Portland last week.

There is to be an entertainment at the Methodist Church, Lincoln's night.

Mrs. Lottie Hunting and daughter Florence were in Lewiston, Saturday.

Mrs. David Staples is on the sick list. It is very sickly here in Welchville. Mrs. Sarah Thurston, who was sick only two days, died with double pneumonia.

PIGEON HILL.

Chas. Pike was in town, Friday.

Clifford Tyner has returned home from Raymond.

Will Marston is cutting wood for Chas. Jordan.

Frank True made the trip from Portland, Saturday, in his auto.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tyner attended Otisfield Grange, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Leander Wardwell called at the Morey Farm one day last week.

Mrs. James King and mother, Mrs. Brown, called at John King's, Saturday.

Chas. Denning delivered 300 pounds of chicken and fowl at Poland Springs, last week.

Mr. James Grant and son Percy have returned home, after spending a few weeks in Florida.

Chas. Strout, Mr. John King and William Bumpus attended court in Auburn, last week.

Chas. Jordan, who has been away for some months, is reported as very much improved in health.

Mrs. Chas. Strout, Mrs. Horace Sylvester and Mrs. John King spent Tuesday of last week in Auburn.

Mrs. Sarah Wardwell who suffered very much last week with neuraliga in the head, is much better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pulsifer, Maud Haskell and brother Ned, attended the races at Range Pond, Saturday afternoon.

Sunday, the 9th, was a record breaker for coldness on the "hill." It was zero in the morning and failed to move up much during the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Denning spent Sunday with Mrs. Denning's father, Robert Thomas, of East Oxford, Feb. 10th being the anniversary of his marriage and of his 70th birthday, also of his twin sister, Mary Parsons, who lives in Paris. He was remembered by cards, letters from friends and a large birthday cake from his daughter Rose. His three children were there with him Sunday.

How to Brighten a Dark Room.

In nearly every home there is always sure to be one dark and gloomy room. It casts its depression upon all who enter it, and yet one is often at a loss as to what should be done to dissipate the lugubrious effect.

It should be dealt with ruthlessly. White paint and enamel should be used with a generous hand. Dark woodwork should not be tolerated, and dull or gloomy paper should be avoided. Hang the room in a paper of sunny yellow hue, put up only curtains of thin net and decorate your walls with pictures framed in white and gold and silver gray frames.

Many mirrors, if possible, should be used, for they aid wonderfully in brightening a dark room, but they must not be hung too high, as they will only reflect the ceiling, while they should catch the cheerful frame of an open fire and repeat its gleam.

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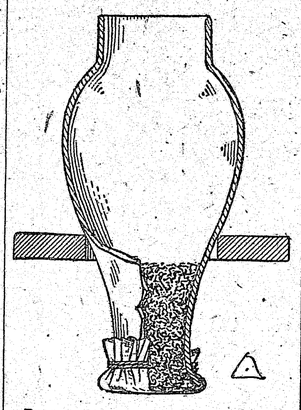

Procure an ordinary lamp chimney and fit two or three thicknesses of cheesecloth over the end of it. Press a tuft of absorbent cotton into the small part of the neck to a depth of about three inches. Insert the chimney in a hole cut in a wood shelf used as a support. Pour the water in until the filter is filled, when it will be observed that any organic matter, chips of iron rust, etc., will be retained by the cotton. The fine organic matter may penetrate the cotton for about one inch, but no farther. The resultant filtered water will be clear and pure.

Laundering Lace Curtains.

Shake well to remove dust, soak in cold water to which you have added ammonia, souse up and down a few minutes, then put in soapy water and let stand while you make a thin starch, to which add a little alum. Add a cupful of this starch to your blue water if curtains are white. If cream boil in water that has a little coffee added to it. Rinse again, starch and hang, not pin, out on line. Dry thoroughly, damped, fold lengthwise and let stand over night if possible. Iron them as you would a tablecloth, folded in half lengthwise and then folded in half lengthwise again, pressing out each point sidewise or if ruffled ironing ruffle first. Fish net curtains launder beautifully if done this way and if allowed to dry in the last fold thoroughly will hang very straight.

Sausages and Rice.

Take a medium sized white onion, chop fine and brown it slightly in butter. Add half a cupful of rice, a pinch of salt, shake of pepper and moisten it with a pint of boiling stock or bouillon. Bring to a boil, cover it and cook gently. It is said to be a mistake to wash rice the usual way and that it should be put in a piece of cheesecloth or fine sieve and water poured over it, then the rice spread out on a cloth to drain. Never stir the rice while boiling it. It is done when it absorbs all the fluid. Now add butter the size of an egg and mix in the rice, using a silver fork. Place rice in serving dish. While cooking the rice get ready twelve very small sausages, roast them and place on top of the rice.

Puree of Artichokes.

Wash and scrape one quart of Jerusalem artichokes cut in small pieces Boil in salted water until soft. Drain and press through a sieve. Scald one quart of milk with one large slice of onion, remove the onion and add the strained artichoke. Soften three tablespoonfuls of butter and blend it with two tablespoonfuls of flour, add to the soup and cook five minutes. Season with salt and pepper and one tablespoonful of chopped parsley. Serve with croutons.

Turnip and Onion Salad.

Peel one large white and one yellow turnip, boil in salted water until tender, drain, cool and cut into dice. Peel and cut a medium sized Bermuda onion in thin slices. Arrange the turnips and onions in alternate layers in the form of a pyramid, surround with slices of hard boiled eggs and pickled beets cut in fancy shapes and serve with French or boiled dressing.

Ginger Beer.

One ounce root ginger, pounded fine. Peel one lemon, take off all the white, cut in slices and add one pound sugar. Let all come to a boil; watch closely as it runs over quickly. After it has boiled add a gallon of warm water. When it is about blood heat add one half yeast cake. Let stand twelve hours, pour off the top and bottle.

Baked Tomatoes a la Roma.

Cook together the centers of six large tomatoes, two tablespoonfuls of olive oil, one onion, one slice bacon chopped fine, one-half teaspoonful of chopped parsley and salt and pepper. Cook five minutes, add half a cupful of breadcrumbs, fill tomatoes with this mixture, dust with crumbs and grated cheese and bake half an hour.

Music Hath Charms.

Many animals show a fondness for music, and there are ancient stories of men who have subdued the fiercest wild beasts by soothing them with sweet sounds. Shy as the deer is, it has been known to stand and listen to the sound of the bagpipe, and a herd of twenty stags was seen following a pipe and violin, going forward while the music played and standing still when it stopped.

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NORWAY AND VICINITY

Connecticut Courant, 1764.

Mrs. F. Q. Elliott, some ten years ago, came into possession of a copy of The Connecticut Courant, dated Monday, Oct. 29, 1764, Hartford, printed by Thomas Green at the Heart & Crown, near the North-Meeting-House.

This ancient journal came from the estate of Mrs. Elliott's uncle, Horatio Billings of Somers, Ct. That it's a genuine original copy we can't say—it's well preserved and looks old at any rate and no doubt is a fac-simile.

The size is 14x17½ with two columns to the page. Long esses are used and it is evident that this is the first issue as the editor speaks of the necessity of a weekly paper and hopes for sufficient patronage to continue it.

The National Horse Shoers' Association will hold a meeting in this town, Monday, March 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Sargent have returned from their visit in Massachusetts. They have been absent 11 weeks.

Mrs. William S. Pratt, who has been spending the winter with Mrs. F. A. Cole, has returned to her home, having let her house to Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Shapiro. Mr. Shapiro is working in the shoe shop.

George H. Austin is still "doing something" in the poultry business. Monday morning, when the mercury was several degrees below the zero mark he shipped two large handsome Orpingtons to Bangor parties.

Mrs. Charles Payne recently received a goodly sum of money from the firm of B. F. Spinney & Co. and fellow workers of her late husband. The money was deposited in the bank and she was presented with a bank book for which she was very grateful.

BUCKFIELD.

Florence Dorr is working for Benjamin Spaulding's family.

Lizzie Ingalls has returned from a visit with aelatives and friends in Madison.

Flora Harford of Old Orchard has been with Mrs. C. S. Childs for a short visit.

Buckfield has been without electric lights several days. The dynamo was sent away for repairs and kerosene lamps were again in use.

C. A. Roberts has purchased the little shop formerly on Elm street, and moved it to the rear of his building to be used as a stable.

Myra Irish has returned from West Paris, where she has been caring for her sister, Mrs. H. H. Wardwell, and Mrs. C. M. Irish has gone there to take her place.

Mrs. Grace Barnes of Lewiston has been with Bert Allen and wife and other friends for a few days. Mrs. Barnes has a position in the public library in Lewiston.

Guy Gardner and wife of Dixfield were in town to see his sister, Mary Gardner, who is very ill. Miss Gardner has been very ill with meningitis for several weeks.

A. E. Skillin of South Portland, formerly of South Hartford, was the guest of B. A. Hutchinson and wife over Sunday. Mr. Skillin is a civil engineer and was called to South Hartford to run out a disputed line.

PARIS.

Ronald Shaw has been sick but is better.

Ruth Ellingwood of Hebron has been visiting relatives in town.

Leslie Bennett has returned to his work at Point Ann, Ont.

Mrs. William Gray of South Paris has been visiting at The Long Look Farm.

Mrs. Warren Lothrop and son were guests of her cousin, Mrs. Adams, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albion Abbott have been in Portland a few days, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. L. Case of New York.

WATERFORD

Urban Tyler and wife have been visiting her parents a few days.

Horace Smith is helping S. H. and W. W. Abbott cut some timber.

Mrs. Norah Dresser visited her sister, Evelyn Greene, Wednesday afternoon.

Raymond Millett and Melville Coye have been chosen delegates to the Sunday School conference, held in Portland, the last of the week ending the 8th.

Harry Millett of Millettville took dinner at Addison Millett's, Sunday, then called on his uncle, George Rice, who is slowly recovering from an attack of the grippe.

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A Norway Advertiser Thirty-Six Years Ago.

Arthur Hebbard shows us a NORWAY ADVERTISER, December 1, 1876. The publisher's name does not appear but there is no question that it was Simeon Drake. It is a six column, four page paper and just half the size of the present Advertiser.

Among the advertisers at that time we find S. H. Howe has the old bakery store; Jennie R. Morse & Co., are doing millinery business at South Paris; D. W. Beals was advertising an insolvent sale of clothing, and was at that time going through bankruptcy, and A. Oscar Noyes had very recently moved from his old store to the Dennison store; E. C. Allen had rented the old Noyes store and fitted it up with clothing and uses a big space in the paper; Mrs. W. W. Twombley and Miss E. L. Haskell were doing dressmaking; A. J. Rowe was in the drug business; Freeland Howe, Insurance Agent and Real Estate, occupied considerable space; A. Sanborn & Sons were selling shingles; William J. Wheeler, Insurance, Pianos and Organs is the only one now living and in the same business, and still advertises in this paper.

We notice the price of milk, on account of competition, was dropped to 5c per quart; L. B. Weeks has commenced a dancing school at the Elm House hall; Jennie Upton was taking music lessons at the Conservatory of Music, Boston; A. Oscar Noyes was in Boston after holiday goods; Charles Hayden, "Bat's Eye," got caught in between the whiffle tree and the horse started injuring his right hand and fingers badly. It seems there was to be a big musical festival in this vicinity, and Horace Cole and Freeland Howe had requested the people to care for the visitors that were coming in; Joe Holt was overworked killing hogs.

In Oxford, Durell & Hawkes' store was broken open and an attempt to break into the safe was made, and the burglers were very plenty in that vicinity. "Uncle Sim" had heard that burglary had been attempted at South Waterford and thought that it was "hellish works."

Among the cards, were: Dr. Jones, dentist; The Norway National Bank; Savings Bank; F. A. Thayer, South Paris.

Rev. L. H. Tabor was preaching at the Universalist church and wrote a very short obituary on the death of Mrs. Patience Warren, aged 96 years. This obituary was short for him as it contained only twelve lines.

S. L. Burnham was assignee of the insolvent estate of D. W. Beal, and Jackson Clark was administrator and was selling the Lee Mixer property.

A "Sheriff Notice" in the town of Fryeburg, Andrew Buzzell, deputy sheriff; and a Foreclosure of Land in Hiram appears.

Flour was being made and sold by the Norway Flour Mill Co. There were two kinds, "Pearl" and "Patent Processes." There was a long list of names of the users of this flour and only two of them are now living and this was only 36 years ago last December.

NORTHWEST ALBANY.

Bert Brown is hauling pulpwood for Irving Hutchinson.

Ada Wilson of Mason was the guest of Mrs. Lottie Hutchinson recently.

C. P. Pingree and sons are cutting and hauling pulpwood and other timber.

Fred Fortier of Otisfield is at work for E. W. Rolfe, also Channing Scribner.

C. W. Rolfe was in Bethel and called to see his first great grandchild, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Cummings.

Laura Hutchinson has been sick with the grippe. Irving Hutchinson and his mother have both been sick. La grippe is making its annual visit. Mrs. G. B. Mills has been having a bad cold.

The Rambler

The shrewd philosophy of the Scotch has often been commented on, and a study of that people is profitable at all times. Some of the stories illustrative of this are more to their credit than others but the following is certainly characteristic. It is credited to a Boston Daily. A certain Laird was approached by a neighbor who said, "Laird, I need twenty poonds. If ye'll be guid enough to tae ma note, ye'll hae ye're money back agin in three months frae the day."

"Nae Donald, I canna do it," replied the Laird.

"But, Laird, ye hae often done the like fer ye're friends."

"Nae, Mon, I conna obleege ye."

"But Laird—"

"Will ye list to me Donald? As soon as I took ye're note, ye'd draw the twenty poonds, would ye nae?"

Donald admitted that he would.

"I ken ye weel Donald," said the Laird, "and I ken that in three months ye'd nae be ready to pay me ma money. Then, ye, ken, we'd quarrel. But if we are to quarrel, Donald, I'd rather do it now, when I hae my twenty poonds in my pocket."

Relics of Old Times.

Ear muffs that fastened with a spring.
Dyed whiskers.
Snow plows and snow shovels.
Spring medicine for the blood.
Rum and molasses.
Wristers such as mother used to knit for Christmas.
The old woolen stockings that no matter how wet they got were "always warm and dry."
Fountain pens for the legislators.
Liver pads.
Buffalo robes.
Tin peddlers.
Paper collars you could turn when you wanted to dress up.
Roundabout jackets for the little boys.
Long legged cow hide boots.
Snow shoes.
Soft soap such as grandma used to make.
Warming pans.
The old rag carpets and drawn rugs.
Mottoes worked in perforated paper in worsted and hung on the wall.
Autograph albums.
Apple pie, made from apples dryed in the sun,
Red flannel petticoats.
Melodeons which wheesed louder than they sung.
Women who smoked a pipe.

After next July a standard barrel of apples must be twenty-six inches between the heads, sixty-four inches in circumference outside measurement around the middle, and the heads must be seventeen inches and one eighth in diameter. In accordance with the law if the apples are hand picked and free from blemishes, they may be labelled, "Standard." But a fine of one dollar and costs will be extracted for every barrel that is marked "Standard" and does not conform to the requirements. The law was passed at the earnest solicitation of those who believe that the purchaser has a right to know what he is getting when he buys a barrel of apples.

The Political Aquarium

Being More or Less Fishy.

What has the choice of a Commissioner of Agriculture got to do with the electing of a United States Senator? You can search us.

Happily Maine women are not demonstrating their qualifications for the ballot by smashing windows, firing buildings and menacing public officials with bodily harm. There is such a thing as being too ducedly English, old girl, don't yer know.

Ruben Skillings: Ther ain't nothin' new under the sun; we thought ther Maine progressives was, but it seems ter be only a case o' rebrandin'.

An Old Hunter says: "The contention of someone in last week's column is typical. If you want to land on a man hard in this state, just infer that he has been drinking. It never fails to raise a laugh. 'Copperhead' and 'Rummy' have been convincing arguments in Maine for lo, these many years."

In thirty years or so will the Moose of to day be looked up to like the antebellum Republicans or frowned upon as the "greenbackers" are to day.

This week's subjects for the politicians' class in bible study: Corinthians 9:22, John 13:16. Bull Moose special: Revelations 16:16.

LOVELL CENTER.

Slab City.

Ira Heald is on the sick list.

Bennie and Ivan Heald are hauling bolts.

Grant McAllister has been sick with a stomach trouble.

V. H. Harriman is doing good business with his mill.

Walter Fox and Henry Gray visited at Joe Fox's, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews have been visiting her parents for a few days.

BROWNFIELD.

Marston's Mills.

Ed. Hill and his son, George, are hauling poplar to the depot.

Alonzo Rounds returned from Boston where he has been visiting friends.

Charlie Bean and Daniel Smith are cutting birch for John Harriman of Fryeburg.

Mrs. Bert Perry has visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wentworth, in Denmark.

Wilbur Marston is logging this winter, hauling hemlock logs to C. E. Hill's mill, and bark to the depot. Howard Meserve is working for him.

My Neighbor and I.

My neighbor is my enemy and my friend. He envies me every acre of my farm, yet would mow my hay for me or husk my corn if I were sick.

He would chuckle himself to sleep if he could beat me trading horses, yet would be a sincere mourner and would help my widow if I were laid away.

My neighbor is my nearest living fellow man and my closest companion. We do not adore each other, yet we cultivate each others friendship. My neighbor is my inferior physically, yet I glory in having him help me when I need an extra hand.

We congratulate each other when we have seasons of plenty, and commiserate each other in times of hail and drought, yet he envies me my sorrel mare, and I would like to own his best Holstein.

At every auction we bid against each other in the hope to make each other's purchases more expensive, yet he has the pew in front of me in church, and we worship in sincerity. If my barn was burning or my horse fell in a well, he would be the first to help me, yet he fought me when I ran for sheriff last election, and I failed to win.

I like my neighbor near, yet often wish him farther away. His sentiments are about the same as mine. We both agree that it dosen't pay to quarrel with your neighbor, for you never know when you'll need him and need him badly.

Abe Martin's Sayings.

Abe Martin, the Indiana funny man, writes a number of quaint sayings in the February American Magazine. A few of them follow:—

"Speck Moots is at home from th' reformatory, an' says that two terms is enough fer any man."

"Tell Binkley says a tourin'-car is like a baby: ever'thing happens t' it th' second summer."

"Folks that blurt out jist what they think wouldn't be so bad if they thought."

"When you do find a boy that's tryin' t' git a education he seems t' think ever'body in th' world ought t' help him."

"It pays t' be honest, but it don't pay enough t' suit some fellers."

"You kin allus tell a self-made man if you'll keep your ears open."

"We all like our relatives when we're little."

"Flatter won't hurt you if you don't swallow it."

"Nobuddy works as hard fer his money as th' feller that marries it."

Founders of Agriculture.

Adam and Eve were the first regular workers on the land; they founded agricultural character by doing things, by accepting the invitation of God to make good with the home, the plow, and the reapers' sickle. They founded the first agricultural college: they mastered ecclesiastical idleness; they vindicated the hearth against the cloister; they found God Himself in the breath of His sky—in the still small voice which lifted Elisha from the dumps to the stars, which sustained the prophets of both Testaments, against the technical conscience of theocrats and of royalties.

Marshmallow Fudge—Marshmallowed fudge is sure to be liked by all, so for your little party make the confection at home. Place one cup of cream and two cups of powdered sugar in a saucepan and stir gently to avoid sticking or burning until the mixture begins to boil. At this point add one quarter pound of chocolate and keep stirring until all is melted. Allow all to boil about ten minutes, or until the soft boil stage is reached. Then put in a bit of butter (about one and one-half inch cube) and stir until thoroughly mixed.

Take the pan from the fire and beat quickly for six minutes or longer, then pour into buttered pan containing marshmallows, nuts and candied citron.

These are scattered through the fudge. Some prefer candied cherries cut into halves to the citron, but it is a matter of taste.

Judging from the flight of the wild geese in a northerly direction the trunk of this spineless winter of ours has received a severe wrench.

Real Estate Conveyances.

Oxford Western District Registry For January

O. H. Day to Chas. W. Day, both of Stow; certain real estate in said Stow, being the homestead and all adjoining lands owned by said O H. Day.

Eldora C. Lord, Fryeburg to Wm. B. Lord, Lovell; real estate in Fryeburg at East Fryeburg, being on the westerly side of road leading from East Fryeburg to Denmark, containing 2 acres.

Daniel H. Woodbury to Eugene H. Woodbury, both of Sweden; real estate in Sweden lying on north side of road leading by the house of Daniel H. Woodbury.

Orin R. Maxwell to Eugene H. Woodbury, both of Sweden; land in Sweden, being part of the Old John Nevers Farm, said land being all wild and unimproved.

Evelyn E. Benton to Jennie McAllister, both of Lovell; Land situated in Fryeburg, being same land conveyed to Daniel Warren by John F. Hobbs, Jan 18, 1886.

Nellie M. Garland to Raymond D. Garland, both of Porter; land and buildings situated in Porter, being same deeded to Nellie M. Garland by Elias R. Garland, Aug. 19, 1895. With exception of pasture on west side of road.

Chas. K. and Lestina E. Garland to Elias R. Garland and Nellie M. Garland, both of Porter; land and buildings in Porter, being about 8 acres. Also another parcel containing 20 acres. Also another parcel conveyed to Wm. Towle by D. D. Ridlon.

Chas. K. Garland to David R. Garland, both of Porter; land in Porter on westerly side of road leading past dwelling of Daniel J. Fox.

Heirs of Moses H. Bradbury to A. C. Kennett, Conway, N. H.; all the growth now standing on certain land in Denmark, lying on both sides of the road leading from East Brownfield to Denmark, being former homestead lot of Moses H. Bradbury.

Seth C. Gordon, Portland to E. E. Hastings, Fryeburg; land in Fryeburg village, known as the "Parsonage lot" on the westerly side of road leading from Main street to house of Lyman Grover.

Willie L Mair, Sweden, to Augustus G. Morse, Waterford; pine trees standing on southerly half of lot No. 55, in the 2nd division of lots in Sweden, being part of the "Kimball Farm," so called.

Monroe French to Jacob Stanley, both of Hiram; land in Hiram, commencing on the easterly side of road leading from South Hiram to the New Meeting House (so called.)

Frank E. Stearns to Wm. E. Stearns, both of Hiram; one half in common and undivided of a lot of land in said Hiram together with the stable thereon.

Ralph L Lord, Brownfield, to Roscoe K. Lord, Porter; land in Porter, being the Darius Wormwood farm, so called.

Harrison McNeal to Everett F. Anderson, both of Fryeburg; land in Fryeburg on southerly side of road leading from said McNeal's house to the depot.

Mary E. Young, Hiram, to Frederick L. Spencer, Conway; land in Hiram, twenty feet square, being burial lot No. 9 in East Hiram cemetery.

Alvin C. Stanley to Curtis L. Stanley, both of Porter; land and buildings thereon in Porter village on southerly side of road leading through Porter village at the northwest corner of land formerly owned by Mary S. Mason.

Albert A. Freeman, Laurence, Mass., to Annie J. and Leon A. Freeman, Denmark; land in Denmark on the westerly side of road leading from buildings occupied by W. N. Freeman to the county road from Denmark to Bridgton.

Willie L Johnson to Wirt V. Eaton, both of Brownfield, a one undivided half of a lot of land in Brownfield on the west side of road leading from Merrill's Corner to Brownfield Center, containing 40 acres.

Sidney H. Linscott to W. L. Johnson and W. V. Eaton, both of Brownfield; land in Brownfield, it being former homestead of Sydney H. Linscott. Reserving the old burying ground on said premises of 24 feet square together with 20 feet of same length in addition to old one on the south side.

James R. Hill to W. L. Johnson and J. Wesley Perkins all of Brownfield; timber now standing on a certain lot of land in Brownfield, said lot being bounded north and east by Maine Central R. R., South by land of Mrs. E. A. G. Stickney, west by Mill Pond.

Willie L. Locke to W. L. Johnson and W. V. Eaton, all of Brownfield; land in Brownfield on right hand side of road leading from Brownfield Center to the A. W. Gray place. Also all the pine growth at 10 inches and larger in diameter one foot from ground now standing on the Swett lot, so called.

Roscoe K. Lord, Porter, to W. L. Johnson and W. V. Eaton, both of Brownfield; all the black growth now standing on certain land in Porter which is bounded northerly by road leading from John Bradeen's to the Calvin Robbins place. Also all the black growth standing on another parcel in Porter, being same lot as was deeded said Lord by Ralph L. Lord.

Edward E. Hastings to Emma K. Mark, both of Fryeburg; a portion of the so called "Parsonage lot" in Fryeburg village.

Noyes R. Norton to Nora I. Durgin, both of Porter; land and buildings situated in Porter. Reserving and excepting the barn on the southerly side of road leading to Thomas B. Libby's.

Mary B. Barker, Fryeburg to Clayton W. Pike, Philadelphia; land situated at East Fryeburg, being same conveyed to Clayton W. Pike and Leah M. Barker by Asa O Pike, Dec. 25, 1880.

Harmon D. Harnden to Charles L. Rose, both of Fryeburg; land in Denmark situated on the New Town line between Denmark and Fryeburg, being the northeast corner of said lot.

Elmer N. Howard, Westbrook, to Horace A. Hall and Winburn M. Staples, both of Bridgton; one-third in common and undivided of all real estate owned by Napoleon B. Howard at his decease, which is situated in Stow and Lovell.

LeRoy F. Pike, Cornish, to Herbert L. Berry, Portland; land in Porter, known as the "Wilson Colcord Farm," containing 60 acres.

Annie S. Farrington to Willis M. Farrington, both of Fryeburg; homestead farm of said Granter situated in Fryeburg, together with furniture and furnishings, also farming tools and machinery.

Howard R. Colby, Conway, to Leslie C. Hill; land in Brownfield, being a part of the Albert Howard farm, so called.

Sarah R. Pillsbury, Portland, to Elmer Brackett, Fryeburg; land and buildings on westerly side of Portland street in Fryeburg village.

David A. Bradley, et als, Fryeburg, to Elias Thomas Jr., Portland; a portion of Lot No. 10 in the 2nd division of upland lots in the town of Fryeburg, being known as the "Samuel Evans" lot.

Alice J. Rand, Bangor, to Chadbourne Rand Jr., Denmark; one sixth part in common and undivided of certain real estate in Denmark.

Noah McDonald to Frank A. Ridlon, both of Fryeburg; land and buildings in Fryeburg on southerly side of Oxford street and westerly side of Warren street.

Elmer Brackett to Noah McDonald, both of Fryeburg; Certain land situated on the southwesterly side of Portland street in Fryeburg village.

Susan W. Merrill and Sarah T. Walker to Wm. Tarbox, all of Fryeburg; land in Fryeburg, situated on flat near old cooper shop foundation and northerly therefrom.

Jason H. Sawyer, San Fransisco, Cal., to Louise A. Bennett, Boston, Mass.; land and buildings in Porter, bounded northerly by land of Moses Fox, and easterly by Stanley Pond (so called.)

Royal Lord, Dover, N. H. to Edward E. Hastings, Fryeburg; land in Fryeburg formerly occupied by said grantor's father, Frank C. Lord as his homestead.

Angie M. Kenniston, Kennebunk, to Jennie N. Sanborn, Yarmouth; land in Denmark, being same estate described indeed from Hannah E. Merrifield to Jennie M. Richardson, Oct. 20, 1903.

Melvin Merrifield, Hiram, to Fred C. and Edwin C. Small, Cornish; certain real estate in Hiram that runs on the easterly side of the brook that runs from Trafton Pond to the Merrifield Pond.

Wm. H. Tarbox to Sarah T. Walker and Susan W. Merrill, all of Fryeburg; certain real estate and buildings in Fryeburg, being same conveyed to Carlton H. Walker and said grantor, by E. S. Osgood, et als., Jan. 10, 1879.

Edward E. Hastings to Charles D. Merrill, Fryeburg; land in Fryeburg, adjoining present homestead of said Merrill, on northwesterly side of road leading from Portland street to Bridgton.

WELCHVILLE.

Mrs. Sarah Thurston.

Mrs. Sarah Thurston died at her home in Welchville, Feb. 4, of pneumonia, at the age of 74 years.

She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Howe of Norway and was one of nine children and married Thomas Thurston. She leaves beside her husband, one son, John Burnham of Portland; also one brother, Dexter Howe of Bolster's Mills.

The funeral was at her late home on Thursday, Feb. 6, at 10 a. m., Mrs. Reta Glover, attending minister. She was a member of the A. C. church.

Charles Gray of Welchville died at the Sisters' hospital, Lewison, Feb. 5. Mr. Gray has been in feeble health for the past two years, and three weeks ago entered the hospital for treatment. He is survived by two sons and one brother.

The Woman Who Tells.

Sometimes on entering a new community you find that the bright and lively and friendly woman who is so attractive, and has come often to see you, is rather avoided by other women, and you wonder why. She herself may one day give you the key, for she complains that her husband never tells her anything, or that Mrs. Blank never let her know her daughter was going to be married until the day of the wedding, or something of the kind as is The Housekeeper.

Then you remember that she talked like a magpie, constantly, without malice but without discrimination. She talked about her neighbors, about her husband, his views on politics, business, religion, home matters, and then she talked of her son, his prospects, his failings, his virtues, and his likings in food and girl companions. She discussed everybody's faults, including those of her husband. She was like a pickpocket with a hole in it, everything that entered her mind dribbled out. She could not keep anything. She could not be trusted.

This woman is bound straight for an unloved and an uncompanioned old age. She is making strangers of her husband and children. They must confide in someone, and it cannot be wife or mother. Since trust and confidence are the basis of home love, she is destroying her home. She is a living "Don't."

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Soldiers Break in Shoes.

A simple, although effective way of "breaking in" shoes is that employed in the United States army. After the shoes have been fitted to their feet the soldiers stand in water up to the shoe tops, until the leather is thoroughly soaked.

Then the soldiers are put on a march, and this "hike" is kept up until the shoes are thoroughly dried on the feet. Forever afterward the shoes are perfectly comfortable, for they conform in shape to every little peculiarity of the wearer's feet.

This method of breaking in shoes, while not new in itself, is one result of the recent investigation of the foot trouble of the army, which the specially appointed board of army officers has been conducting.

During the month of January the temperature in Maine was the warmest on record for that month with the exception of January, 1880. There was during the month an excess of 295 degrees and the average daily excess in temperature was 10 degrees. The mean temperature for the month was 31 5 degrees, while the normal mean for January is only 22 degrees. The average maximum was 39 7 for the month while the average minimum was 23 4 degrees.

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BYRON.

Gertrude Dunn who has been very sick, is much better.

Fannie White is visiting relatives in Lewiston and Auburn.

Ernest Knapp and son Eldon, have been ill with the mumps.

E. G. Knapp has been sawing wood for A. O. Reed, at Gum Corner.

James Taylor has been in town on a short visit. He moved away from here last spring.

E. E. Knapp had one of his horses cut very badly recently while at work at Houghton.

G. L. Hall has returned to town and will remain with us during the remainder of the winter.

The farmers in this vicinity have loaded a car at the Hop City siding with potatoes. Fifty cents was the price paid for them.

NORTH WATERFORD.

Rice Neighborhood.

Robert Kimball and Frank Coffin are cutting pulp wood for E. B. York.

B. W. Rice has been doing the chores for Chas. Saunders while his father was sick.

Louise Hersey has been sick with winter cholera and attended by a physician.

G. B. Rice was taken suddenly ill with grippe. He grew worse so his son called the family physician.

Harry Millett of Norway and Mrs. Millett of Waterford called to see their uncle, G. B. Rice last Sunday.

Tom Jones has another house keeper. She is from Andover and has two children. One is going to school here.

Chas. Hersey and E. B. York filled their ice houses with ice a few weeks back; also B. Ward and G. H. Rice.

Charles Saunders is working with his brother at Sandy Creek, in their mill. Geo. B. Rice is doing his chores while he is away.

The Ladies' Aid had a bake bean supper at the vestry, Tuesday evening, entertained by Sadie Holt and Kate Saunders.

Hattie E. Rice after caring for Mrs. Helen Rice three weeks returned to her home here. Mrs. Rice's sister Mary, is helping about the house work.

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Then you ought to know that druggists everywhere will hand you a bottle of Booth's HYOMEI for only 50 cents. Pour a few drops of HYOMEI into the inhaler and start this very day to breathe the healing Balsamic vapor and destroy the Catarrh germs.

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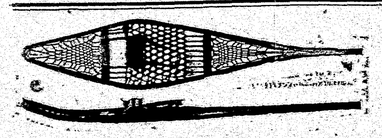

SNOW SHOES

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NORWAY, - - MAINE

How to Be Well.

By Dr. True

Your stomach and bowels are the largest organs in your body.

And the easiest part of you to be abused. You eat all kinds of different foods, you don't chew enough, you bolt your food too fast. Then you neglect your bowels.

Consequence is you get a stomach full of sour, half-digested food and the bowels choked full of filthy waste matter, giving poisons off into the blood and body. Is it any wonder you feel badly?

In my practice I found so many people whose sickness came from bad stomach and bowels that I had a prescription put up and waiting for them.

This prescription became famous as a health giver, so I put it up, naming it Dr. True's Elixir, and you can buy it most everywhere. All druggists and dealers in medicine sell it for 35c, 50c and $1.00. I know a lot of doctors and druggists who use it in their own families, so you see what they think of it! Just remember the name, Dr. True's Elixir. It brings health to men, women and children.

Maine's Academies.

That the New England academy has more than a historic interest is clearly indicated by the figures reported to the State Educational Department relative to institutions of this kind for the year ending July 1, 1912.

There are, according to these figures, forty-nine schools in Maine having the rank of academy, seminary or institute. These schools enroll a total of 4,244 students, who receive instruction from 272 teachers. The total endowment of all schools of this class amounts to $1,294,249. Their investment in buildings and grounds is $1,348,840. The expenditures for the year amounted to $252,691. The special aid granted by the state for the period covered by the report was $23,000.

Thirty-five towns made contracts with these academies under the provision of the special act by which any town is authorized to make a contract with an academy for the schooling of its students of secondary school age; 1,640 pupils received their tuition through these contract arrangements.

In both free high schools and academies there were enrolled a total of 1,640 students and there were employed altogether 929 teachers.

FRYEBURG.

James P. Hobbs has been a victim of the prevailing grippe.

John Phillips has been visiting relatives in Woodsville, N. H.

James M. Smith of Limington has been a guest at Merrit Smith's.

Mrs. Henry Tarbox, who has been ill the past few week, is confined to her room.

Mrs. Eckley Ballard who has been a sufferer from nervous prostration for the past two years, is improving.

Hattie Blake went from here to New York. From there she will sail for the Bermudas for a few weeks' sojourn.

Mrs. Frank Haskell and Arthur Jordan of Portland have been in town in attendance upon their uncle, Eben Howe.

Fred Sawtelle has been in Fryeburg, called here from his home in the west by the critical illness of his father, Frank W. Sawtelle.

Howard Ela had the misfortune to cut off the end of his his little finger in the machinery at the mill of the Fryeburg Lumber Co.

Charlotte Hodsdon fell down the stairway at Academy hall recently, sustaining an injury to her spine which necessitates her keeping absolutely quiet for a few weeks.

A. W. Nichols fell on the ice, striking on the back of his head. At the time, he thought the fall of no account, but it has resulted in giving him double sight so that he has been obliged to consult a Portland oculist for electrical treatment in the hope of restoring his normal vision.

Word was received of the death at Woodfords, on Feb. 1, of Mrs. Helen Gammage Walker. Mrs. Walker was a native of Lovell, but is well known in Fryeburg, having lived here a number of years. She leaves a husband and one daughter, Catherine, who is assistant to the Registrar of Deeds, Portland.

ALMOST LOST HIS LIFE.

S. A. Stid, of Mason, Mich., will never forget his terrible exposure to a merciless storm. "It gave me a dreadful cold," he writes, "that caused severe pains in my chest, so it was hard for me to breathe. A neighbor gave me several doses of Dr. King's New Discovery which brought great relief. The doctor said I was on the verge of pneumonia, but to continue with the Discovery. I did so and two bottles completely cured me." Use only this quick, safe, reliable medicine for coughs, colds, or any throat or lung trouble. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by The Noyes Drug Store.—Adv. 6-9

The postmaster general has ordered that mail boxes, delivery wagons and pretty much everything else connected with the postoffice department throughout the United States be painted a glorious Fourth of July red. It is expected that rural mail carriers will be required to wear red sweaters in winter and red blazers in summer.

Perhaps it would be a good idea for him to include the postoffices; but we hope he will not require the pretty female assistants to paint their cheeks.

WANTED A GOOD STOMACH

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BETHEL.

Alice Kimball has been visiting relatives in Sumner.

Arthur Richardson is in Fort Antonio, Jamaica, this winter.

H. M. Farwell's camp at Newry was recently burned. His loss was considerable.

Stillman Littlehale of Ketchum has moved into his new house on Vernon street.

Ruth Remick of Hebron, N. H., has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. P. W. Kimball.

Mrs. Clara M. Bartlett has been sick with pneumonia. She was cared for by Geneva Hutchins.

Martha Dingley of Portland stayed with Mary Bowler, while her mother, Mrs. E. C. Bowler, and brother, Ernest C. Bowler, Jr., spent several days in Augusta.

Monday afternoon, Feb. 3rd, two children aged 5 and 7 went into Mert. Farwell camp in Newry where he is logging this winter, and built a fire, burning the camp, the bedding for 25 men and all their clothes except what they had on; also his camp where he kept his supplies and tools including a nice rifle and a new fur coat he had recently bought, causing a loss of about $500.

Rev. James H. Little of Bethel, chaplain of the department of Maine, G. A. R., is being talked as a candidate for the position of department commander at at the annual encampment to be held in Portland in June. Mr. Little saw some very active service in the Civil war, and is looked on as one of the best men that the department could put forward for this position.

Middle Intervale.

H. A. Packard was here recently storing away some of his goods.

Robert Farwell was at home from Gould Academy over Sunday.

L. D. Brown substituted for Mr. Hutchins recently on route 1.

S. B. Osgood can file a saw, fix a sled, or make a fiddle and play on it.

Farmers are busy cutting and hauling wood and long lumber to market.

Elmer Trask, Carey Stevens and others are busy hauling cordwood and lumber.

Mrs. Wm. Farwell has gone to Keene, N. H., to see her daughters who attend school.

Frank Osgood and his uncle, George Osgood, went to Locke's Mills to see relatives Sunday.

R. A. Skillings is canvassing Bethel and surrounding towns for nursery stock and garden seeds.

Charles Kimball, who has employment at the mill at Locke's Mills, called here to see his relatives.

What about killing lepers in China? And what about the wrongs in our Christian land? These wrongs can no more survive in a Christian country than can this idea of dealing with lepers.

Eva Farwell has closed a successful term of school at North Bethel, just across the river from here. The recent death of Mrs. Jewett made such a sadness in the school that closing recitations were dispensed with and the teacher presented each of the pupils with a nice book. The scholars also presented Miss Farwell with a jewel box which she appreciates very much.

Frances Abbott has closed her school on Swan hill with appropriate exercises the last day. This school also Middle Intervale are small, not large enough for one good sized school but the best teachers take charge.

A fine looking man, a gentleman, recently brought us some goods from the store enroute to East Bethel. On turning to our book of names of pupils at Newry Corner in 1879, we found the gentleman was a boy then 13 years of age and his name was Richard W. Trask. When he calls again we will shake hands with him. We send the names and ages of the pupils then:

Maud R. Smith	Age 13
Nellie M. Marshall	" 13
Elizabeth H. Smith	" 11
Lillian D. Bradbury	" 10
Carrie S. G. Lane	" 9
Blanch E. Trask	" 7
Mariette Powers	" 9
Richard W. Trask	" 13
Floyd H. Searle	" 9
Lorin J. Trask	" 11
Eugene Abbott	" 9
Alfred Wyman	" 7

We know that Nellie M. Marshall has passed to the Higher School, with our Father in Heaven for Teacher and Friend. Are the others all living? We would like to know. We know that Blanche E. Trask is married and lives in California, a beautiful woman, and her mother is with her, receiving the love and care of a dutiful daughter.

Grover Hill.

School children are now enjoying a vacation.

Arnold Browne and Alice Smith were in the place Sunday.

Rosie Tyler from Mason is the guest of relatives in this place.

J. D. Uhlman was at home from Grafton, Sunday, to see his family.

Payson Philbrook is soon going to Massachusetts to visit his sons.

George A. Grover has gone to Marlboro, Mass., to visit relatives and friends.

Eli Grover of Mason, who is teaming, boards with F. E. Wheeler, "Cobblestone."

C. L. Whitman has a cow which was badly injured by slipping on the ice, recently.

Bird Hill.

A. B. Tyler has his logs all yarded.

Geo. Will Day has finished hauling his ice.

Mrs. Gustie Thomas is selling post cards.

Ernest George is working at Locke's Mills.

Ernest Day is working at Locke's Mills for Tibbetts.

Mrs. Mattie Davis has returned home from Massachusetts.

Mrs. Maude Lapham has returned to her home in Milton.

Samuel McOnnell has finished hauling his white birch to the mill.

Roland Russell has sold his new pung sleigh to Samuel McOnnell.

Every child born in the town of Orange, down in Connecticut, from now on will receive a present of a savings bank book showing a deposit of $1 to its credit at the Orange Savings Bank, according to action taken by the directors of that institution a few days ago. The treasurer was instructed to use the official returns of births to the town clerk as his guide, and to forward each book promptly to the parents, as soon as possible after the birth of a child. The object of this novel scheme is of course to encourage habits of thrift and saving, boom the population of the town and incidentally to advertise the bank.

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are relieved at once by an application of Sloan's Liniment. Don't rub, just lay on lightly.

"Sloan's Liniment has done more good than anything I have ever tried for stiff joints. I got my hand hurt so badly that I had to stop work right in the busiest time of the year. I thought at first that I would have to have my hand taken off, but I got a bottle of Sloan's Liniment and cured my hand." WILTON WHEELER, Morris, Ala.

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G. G. JONES, Baldwin, L. I., writes: —"I used Sloan's Liniment for broken sinews above the knee cap caused by a fall and to my great satisfaction was able to resume work in less than three weeks after the accident."

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MR. HENRY A. VOEHL, 84 Somerset St., Plainfield, N. J., writes: — "A friend sprained his ankle so badly that it went black. He laughed when I told him that I would have him out in a week. I applied Sloan's Liniment and in four days he was working and said Sloan's was a right good Liniment."

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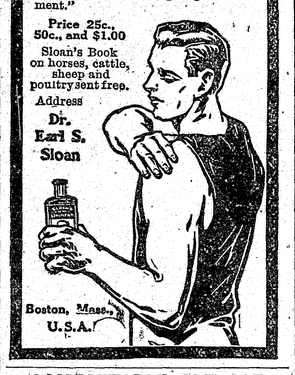

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"L. F." MEDICINE CO., Portland, Me.

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If Rexall "93" Hair Tonic does not improve the health of your scalp and hair, we will pay for what you use during the trial.

We could not so strongly endorse Rexall "93" Hair Tonic and continue to sell it to the same people if it did not do all we claim. Should it not prove entirely satisfactory our customers would lose faith in us, we would lose their patronage, and our business would suffer.

If your hair is falling out or you suffer any scalp trouble, we believe Rexall "93" Hair Tonic will do more to eradicate the dandruff, give health to the scalp, stimulate new hair growth and prevent premature baldness than any other human agency.

We want you to make us prove this. We ask you to risk no money whatever. Buy a bottle of Rexall "93" Hair Tonic, use it according to directions for thirty days; then if you are not entirely satisfied, come and tell us and we will promptly hand back the money you paid us for it.

We won't ask you to sign anything, nor even to bring the bottle back. We won't obligate you in any way. We will take your mere word. Could anything be more fair? Could we do anything more to prove our belief in Rexall "93" Hair Tonic, and our honesty of purpose in recommending it to you?

Rexall "93" Hair Tonic is as pleasant to use as spring water and has but a faint, pleasing odor. It comes in two sizes of bottles, 50c and $1.00.

You can buy Rexall "93" Hair Tonic in this community only at our store:

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I am pleased to say a good word for Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, as I was troubled for a year or more with my kidneys and annoying symptoms. My brother advised me to try Swamp-Root. I took several bottles of this remedy with excellent results. At the time Swamp-Root was recommended to me, my condition was such that I found it an effort in stooping or bending and in attending to my duties as Manager of the $0.99 Store at 122 Main St., Evansville, Ind.

Very truly yours,
J. E. ALVEY,
519 Walnut St., Evansville, Ind.

Subscribe and sworn to before me, this 21st day of December, 1911.
EDW. A. TORCHE,
Notary Public.

Letter to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghampton, N. Y.

Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You

Send to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling all about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention the Norway Weekly Oxford County Advertiser. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.

FROM A MAINE MAN

Who was Cured in 3 Days

"I am delighted to say that I am feeling finely, sleep and eat well and have put on 6½ pounds of flesh. Cannot even stand the smell of alcohol, and the sight of an ale bottle rouses most unpleasant feelings." We can show you many genuine original signed letters like above, all proving that the

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Telephone 4216.

GERMANIA FIRE INSURANCE CO

New York, N. Y.
Assets Dec. 31, 1912.

Real Estate	$ 750,000.00
Mortgage Loans	430,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	5,249,050.02
Cash in Office and Bank	522,678.99
Agents' Balances	504,303.93
Interest and Rents	39,564.00
Gross Assets	$7,495,597.94
Deduct Items not admitted	281,835.67
Admitted Assets	$7,213,762.27

Liabilities Dec. 31, 1912.

Net Unpaid Losses	$ 122,473.13
Unearned Premiums	3,200,304.32
All other Liabilities	117,169.94
Cash Capital	1,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	2,613,814.88
Total Liabilities and Surplus	$7,213,762.27

MR. DENNIS PIKE, Agent.
Norway, Maine.
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GRANITE STATE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Portsmouth, N. H.
Assets Dec. 31, 1912.

Real Estate	$ 45,000.00
Mortgage Loans	10,100.00
Stocks and Bonds	935,295.50
Cash in Office and Bank	60,951.51
Agents' Balances	97,801.88
Interest and Rents	11,203.34
Gross Assets	$1,160,352.23
Admitted Assets	$1,160,352.23

Liabilities Dec. 31, 1912.

Net Unpaid Losses	$ 52,593.60
Unearned Premiums	559,544.34
All other Liabilities	16,309.05
Cash Capital	200,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	331,904.74
Total Liabilities and Surplus	$1,160,352.23

W. R. TARBOX, Fryeburg.
O. M. RICHARDSON, Canton.
RUMFORD FALLS INS. AGENCY, Rumford.
W. J. WHEELER, South Paris.
S. W. GOODWIN, Norway. 5-7

FOR SALE

All-round Blacksmith, Carriage and Paint Shop. One of the best located in city; a good paying business well established, lot contains 7,000 feet of land, good stable. All stock and tools including band saws and all tools used in a first-class shop, price for quick sale, $5,000.

All kinds of city property for investment or some bargains in farms near Manchester. A dandy 75 farm with modern buildings, 25 cattle, 3 horses. All stock and tools, $6,500.

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PROBATE NOTICES.

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen. The following matter having been presented for the action, thereupon hereinafter indicated. It is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the NORWAY ADVERTISER, a newspaper published at Norway, in said county, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of February, A. D. 1913, at 9 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause:

GEORGE E. GROVER, late of Norway, deceased; will and petition for probate thereof presented by Harriet N. Foster, the executrix therein named.

GEO. A. COLE, late of Norway, deceased; petition for determination of inheritance tax presented by Sarah E. Cole, executrix.

JOSEPH A. HOLT, late of Norway, deceased; first account presented for allowance by Alfred S. Kimball, executor.

OSGOOD DREW, late of Fryeburg, deceased; account presented for allowance by Ira Johnson, administrator.

OBED A. LOVERING, late of Oxford, deceased; account presented for allowance by Frank L. Wilson, administrator.

ADDISON E. HERRICK, Judge of said Court
A true copy—attest: 5-7
ALBERT D. PARK Register.

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of 5-7

HENRY SAWIN, late of Waterford,

in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

January 21st, 1913. HARRY T. SAWIN

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of

HENRY I. HUTCHINS, late of Fryeburg in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately. 5-7

January 21st, 1913. SUSAN M. HUTCHINS

LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, will give a public hearing in its room at the State House in Augusta,

Wednesday, Feb. 19, at 2 P. M.

No. 15. An Act to provide for a close time on bull moose.

Wednesday, Feb. 19, 1913, at 2 P. M.

No. 23. An Act repealing Chap. 158 of the Public Laws of 1911, entitled "An act to prohibit the use of Gang Hooks, so called, when fishing in the inland waters of this State."

Petition of Thos. B. Moody and 38 others, asking to repeal Chap. 158 of Public Laws of 1911, entitled "An Act to prohibit the use of Gang Hooks."

Wednesday, Feb. 19, 1913, at 2 P. M.

No. 25. Petition of C. A. Judkins and four others of Kineo, F. L. Gardner and 37 others of Auburn and Lewiston, H. E. Capon and 22 others of Augusta, and E. E. Parks and 44 others of Newport and vicinity, asking that so much of the Fish and Game Laws as prohibits the shipment by one person of more than one box of fish once in 30 days, without accompanying the same, be repealed, and that the provisions of law previously in force relating to such shipments as re-enacted. 5-7

Wednesday, Feb. 26, at 2 P. M.

No. 56. Resolve in relation to screening the outlet of Upper Kezar Lake in the town of Lovell and petition of E. T. Stearns and 26 others for the same. 7-8

SETH F. CLARK, Secretary.
M. M. HODGDON, Clerk.

NOTICE.

To Whom It May Concern: I hereby give notice that all persons are forbidden from extending credit on my account to my wife, Sadie M. Stevens, as I shall pay no bills of her contracting after this date.

Harrison, Me., Jan. 27, 1913. *5-7
Signed CHESTER H. STEVENS.

FREEDOM NOTICE.

This is to certify that I have this day given my son, Edward H. Tenney, his time during the remainder of his minority and that I shall not pay any bills of his contracting, nor claim any of his wages. 6-8*

Locke's Mills, Jan. 30, 1913. J. O. TENNEY

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT.

You are hereby requested, if you have any claims against the town of Waterford, to present them to the Selectmen for settlement immediately. 6-7

WARREN Y. KNEELAND, Chairman.

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Economizes Butter, Flour, Eggs; makes the food more appetizing and wholesome

The only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

Matches After July.

Few Federal Regulation on Matches Will Save Many a Pair of "Pants."

Matches, which men have been accustomed to designate as the "strike on your pants" variety, are soon to become priceless luxuries, and every man will have to carry with him a little box of the other kind as substitutes for those now in common use.

In July, 1913, the new Federal law prohibiting, by excessive taxation, the manufacture of white phosphorus matches, goes into effect. This law covers all matches now manufactured with the exception of the "safety" matches, which are lighted on the side of a box.

The new match will resemble its predecessor in appearance, but will strike with all the difficulty of the old "eight-day parlor match that sputtered and crackled for five minutes before igniting. The new match will be known as the "Marguerite."

According to dealers there is no danger in the use of phosphorus matches unless the baby should get some of them and eat the heads, but the manufacturer of the match is attended by great danger. If there are cuts or breaks in the laborer's skin or if the teeth are decayed, the phosphorus gets into the exposed places and eats away the flesh.

Dealers therefore have been given until 1915 to dispose of their stocks. No more of these matches may be exported after then and no more imported after July, 1913.

INTELLIGENCE COLUMN

ONE OF THE LARGEST HEALTH AND accident Insurance Companies in the Country has an excellent District Manager proposition for Oxford County. Considerable business already established in the county. First-class business opportunity for an experienced hustler. Address Manager, Box 96, Lewiston, Me. 6-9*

REPORT

Of the condition of the Norway National Bank (No. 1956) at Norway, in the State of Maine, at the close of business, Feb. 4, 1913.

Resources.

Loans and discounts	$291,758.63
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	42,500.00
Other Bonds to secure Postal Savings	7,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc.,	63,150.53
Furniture and Fixtures	1,321.50
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents,)	8,743.85
Due from approved reserve agents,	33,156 35
Checks and other cash items	341.65
Notes of other National Banks,	1,360.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, cents,	202.89
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie, $ 15,759.55	
Legal-tender notes 3,590.00	19,349.55
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation,)	2,125.00
Total	$471,009.95

Liabilities.

Capital stock paid in	$50,000.00
Surplus fund	30,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	40,164 72
National Bank notes outstanding	41,900.00
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	7,606.36
Dividends unpaid	362.00
Individual deposits subject to check	294,588.35
Demand certificates of deposit	3,073 32
Time certificates of deposit	900.00
Certified checks	592.15
Postal Savings Deposits	1,823 05
Total	$471,009.95

State of Maine, County of Oxford, ss.

I, H. D. SMITH, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. H. D. SMITH, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Feb., 1913. A. S. KIMBALL, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
C. N. TUBBS,
H. B. FOSTER, } Directors
F. W. SANBORN. 7

ANNUAL STATEMENT of the ÆTNA INSURANCE COMPANY Hartford, Conn.

On the 31st day of Dec. 1912, made to the State of MAINE.

Incorporated 1819. Commenced Business 1819.

WM. B. CLARK, Pres. E J. SLOAN, Sec'

Capital paid up in Cash, $5,000,000.

Assets, Dec. 31, 1912.

Real Estate	$ 592,207.93
Loans on Collateral	100,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	19,142,877.14
Cash in Office and Bank	1,718,106.52
Agents' Balances	1,627,803.99
Interest and Rents	95,455.28
Gross Assets	$23,276,450.86
Deduct items not admitted	224,919.50
Admitted Assets	$23,051,531.36

Liabilities Dec. 31, 1912.

Net Unpaid Losses	$ 711,143.59
Unearned Premiums	8,468,917.48
All other Liabilities	633,047.79
Cash Capital	5,000,000 00
Surplus over all Liabilities	8,238,392.50
Aggregate, including Capital and Surplus	$23,051,531.36
Surplus for Policy-Holders,	$ 13,238,392.50
Losses Paid in 94 Years	132,981,553.48

STUART W. GOODWIN, RESIDENT AGENT. Norway, Maine. 7-9

MASSACHUSETTS FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY

Boston, Mass.

Assets, Dec. 31, 1912.

Collateral Loans	$ 50,000 00
Stocks and Bonds	1,126,951.00
Cash in Office and Bank	58,767.20
Agents' Balances	94,842 12
Interest and Rents	8,841.08
Gross Assets	$1,389,331.40
Deduct items not admitted	1,624.46
Admitted Assets	$1,337,856 94

Liabilities Dec. 31, 1912.

Net Unpaid Losses	$ 55,283.08
Unearned Premiums	399,283.56
All other Liabilities	10,081.94
Cash Capital	500,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	373,209.36
Total Liabilities and Surplus	$1,337,856 94

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STUART W. GOODWIN, AGENT, Norway, Me.

LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, will give a public hearing in its room at the State House in Augusta,

Wednesday, Feb. 19th, at 2 P. M.

No. 94. An Act to repeal so much of chapter 99 of the Public Laws of 1911 as provides that one box of fish or one pair of game birds shall not be sent by the purchaser of a tag for that purpose oftener than once in thirty days. 7

Wednesday, Feb. 26, at 2 P. M.

No. 32. An Act authorizing ice fishing in Roxbury Pond in the county of Oxford, also Petition of F. H. Merrill of Roxbury and 24 others, that Roxbury Pond be opened to ice fishing, also Petition of F. H. Merrill and 24 others, asking that the tributaries of the Roxbury Pond be governed by the same laws that govern Black Brook.

No. 61. Petition of E. F. Coburn and 6 others, residents of Middle Dam, Oxford County, in relation to fishing in the northern end of Pond-in-the-River, so-called, in Oxford County.

No. 58. An Act to provide for the protection of the Hungarian Partridge, so-called, also capercailzie, or cock of the woods, so-called, black game, so-called, and all species of the pheasant, except ruffed grouse or partridge, so-called. 7-8

SETH F. CLARK, Secretary.
M. M. HODGDON, Clerk.

Teacher of the Country School.

No other school requires of its teacher a greater versatility than does the rural school. While the schools of this kind are usually smaller than village or city schools, they present a much wider range of classes, demanding skill in teaching children of all ages. This alone is a requirement not easily met, since methods of teaching little children are radically different from those adapted to older pupils.

To be fully prepared for all the subjects appearing in the daily program of a country school calls for many hours of outside study and preparation every day on the part of the teacher.

The country teacher does not have the advantage of constant contact with associate teachers with the great help that comes of such contact, while the superintendent and other official advisers are not often near at hand to lend their ready assistance. Hence more than other teachers, she must be prepared to meet all the emergencies of instruction or of discipline that are likely to arise. Resourcefulness must be a prominent part of her equipment.

Little is expected of the city teacher in the direction of community service. A really successful country teacher however, must be able and willing to assist in many of the social and other affairs that engage the attention of the people of her school. She must be a natural leader and director if she is to make her school a success.

A country teacher cannot stand still professionally. She must grow. The rural teacher who fails to read professional books and papers, or to attend teachers' institutes and conventions soon loses her strength as a teacher. The very isolation of her work requires that she take advantage of every possible opportunity for self improvement.

The pay of country teachers is generally small. In Maine the weekly salary is often as low as six or seven dollars with a school year not seldom of only twenty-seven or eight weeks.

Advocates of the rural school say that the greater demands on the rural teacher ought to produce for her a salary at least as high as that of the village or city teacher, while many maintain that country children will not have their full educational equality until rural teachers are paid more than others, to offset the greater burdens and responsibilities laid upon her.

No adulterants in Turner's Honey. Adv

Z. L. Merchant & Co.

SUCCESSORS TO

S. B. & Z. S. Prince

THE COMING OF SPRING

Although February is classed among the winter months, somehow, with its advent, thoughts of the approaching spring stir within us. The days begin to lengthen, the sun's rays grow warmer, and much as "mere man" may decry the feminine desire for new spring clothes, this is just the time to plan for spring and even summer.

In a few days the store will be filled with beautiful new materials, also ready-to-wear apparel, and it is so much more satisfactory to make selections when everything is new, fresh and dainty.

Many pieces of the choicest and most fashionable new wash fabrics are now on exhibition.

While we are engaged in bringing forward the new materials we offer during February, balance of our winter goods in several departments at very attractive low prices.

LADIES' SUITS, at half-price.

CHILDREN'S COATS, at half-price.

LADIES' COATS, at about half-price.

CHILDREN'S COTTON AND WORSTED DRESSES, small lots to clean up at about half-price.

LADIES' SILK and SERGE DRESSES, at clean-up-quick prices.

SILK WAISTS, at mark-down prices.

SWEATERS, Ladies' and Children's Sweaters at a saving of 20 to 50 per cent.

HOSIERY and Knit Underwear, broken lots to be cleaned up at about half-price.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR, odd lots and some slightly soiled and mussed at half-price and less.

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NORWAY, MAINE

WINTER TOILET REQUISITES

We think freckles are charming, but if you don't, Rexall Tan and Freckle Lotion will remove them.

Winter winds make chapped hands and Sunburn. For whitening, softening, soothing and preserving the skin, we recommend Rexall Cream of Almonds.

Have you noticed the Rexall ads. in another column of this paper? It will pay you to read them. We know all these remedies to be perfectly reliable and back them up with our own personal guarantee. 7-8

F. P. Stone, Druggist

The Rexall Store Norway.

Learning to Sew.

What Every Girl Should Know.

If you are one of the girls who can make respectable looking dresses, smart artistic, well fitting, do not work in a hit-or-miss manner. It pays to take a few lessons in cutting, to learn a system, to study short cuts and methods of trimming, writes Alice Mason in the Washington Herald.

Before starting a dress, even before buying, make a tour of the stores and see for yourself what is being worn, with a keen eye for the little details that lift a gown from the home made to the professional class. Study materials and buy economically, which means paying a little more if necessery, rather than have shoddy goods.

Above all study your own needs. What is more foolish than for the girl of limited time and less money to waste her efforts on making dresses that are quite unsuitable? Do not be beguiled into buying material for a dainty evening dress just because it is cheap and you can make it yourself, if you already have more of such gowns than you have use for. Your needle and your purse could both be employed to much greater advantage.

If you have a talent for sewing the value of making the most of it is evident.

The girls who see your stunning clothes soon want to know your dressmaker; before long they are demanding your services. This may lead the way out of the office into a business of one's own—provided you have business sense as well as skill with your needle. There is so much more money for a good dressmaker than in the ordinary office salary that the workers who can make her own clothes should seriously consider it.

The girl who can just "sew"—that is, does neat stitching, but has no skill at cutting and fitting—should never attempt fussy things. They rarely are a success. Perhaps she is equal to sewing her own underclothes. These days of white sales, the advantage of the home-made underwear for the worker is questionable, but there is no denying that by watching one's opportunity to buy lace, embroidery and cotton material a girl gets daintier and more lasting lingerie than she can afford to buy.

In this style of sewing good patterns are also essential. The sensible girl adopts one style of night dress, corset cover, combination and petticoat, varying it only in the trimming. This simplifies fitting and saves much time. When a number of garments are being made they can be cut out at once, saving material as well as labor.

Another point in home made lingerie is—it must not be too elaborate. Simple lines and finer fabrics are in better taste as well as more sensible than over-trimming.

It pays to get good materials for underclothes. Few girls can afford skilled laundresses' and others soon work havoc on flimsy goods. One who must consider cost must sacrifice daintiness to lasting qualities. She should avoid mulls, sheer lawns, or handkerchief linen, and delicate, easily torn laces. Torchon or linen laces are far more durable than Valenciennes for all classes of underwear, and a soft finished nainsook or fine long cloth give excellent wear.

However exquisitely one sews, it is a mistake for the worker to go in for hand made lingerie if she can get at a machine. It is a luxury she cannot indulge in, and what is the use of rooling lace, running up seams, hemstitching, even gathering by hand, when a machine does it almost as well and five times as fast?

OTISFIELD GORE.

Mrs. Etta Bean from Bethel has been dressmaking for Mrs. Mabel Holman, the past week.

Manley Brett who is working in Tamworth, N. H., was at home for a little while, Saturday.

Rev. Merton Snow and wife, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Holman, have returned to their home in Mechanic Falls.

Mrs. Ella Meserve, who went to the C. M. G. hospital, does not seem to gain as her many friends wish she would, but seems to remain about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brett from Oxford and Mr. and Mrs. Eben Brett and little daughter were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Brett.

Nettie Herrick has finished a very successful term of nine weeks of school and returned to her home in East Corinth. All are hoping she will come back and teach the next term of school.

Frederick Robie Grange held their regular meeting, Saturday evening, there was a large attendance and visitors were present from Lakeside, Oxford and Otisfield Granges. After the regular business the following program was carried out:

Song	Grange
Reading	Margaret Pool
Harmonica solo	Charlie Thurlow
Encore	
Reading	Ransom Grover
Piano solo	Lona Rowe
Question, What characteristics and purposes did Lincoln and Washington possess that should influence the lives of today? Opened by Arthur Holman, followed by others	

After the program a Night Cap supper was enjoyed. The night caps were sold at auction by Willard Brett, to the highest bidder and the couples marched to the dining room where cake, pie, sandwiches and hot coffee were served. After which a social was enjoyed until a late hour. At the next meeting, Feb. 22nd, the following question will be discussed: Resolved that the labor and cares of the farmer's wife are more severe and wearing than those of the farmer.

"No man ever went without anything very much if he could borrow it."

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Miss SUE WINCHELL, Cellist

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NORWAY AND VICI

Important Meeting

An important meeting of t salist par sh was held, Satu ning, when it was voted to pa tor, Rev. M. C. Ward, his us until the first of June, when P Norway to accept a pastorate section of the State.

Mr. Ward leaves the parish cause the parish deemed it im reduce expenses, and so did n were able to pay Mr. Ward now getting.

Mr. Ward is leaving with wishes of everyone, and since Norway has made a host of fri work in the church has been isfactory.

Jackson Clark, for many yea tor of a shoe store in Norway, post card shower on his 80th Ray York and Gideon M who went to Montreal, hav and are working in a shoe Auburn.

Maud York of Damarisc who has been visiting her aun P. Bassett and Lilia York home, Tuesday.

"Sweet Lavender," under t of Co. D, N. G. S. M., a pla talent, at Norway Opera Hou day evening, Feb. 20.

Hattie Richardson, who working at North Waterford. returned home to help care fo Simon Richardson, who is sick

Carrie Matthews, a dres Smiley's, has been spending a in Bridgton and will visit M Cole in Canton, Mass., before

Norway Lodge No. 16, I. O. hold a rehearsal, Monday e their hall, at seven o'clock, an day evening will work the sec on four candidates.

The W. C. T. U. annual food sale will be at Grange Wednesday afternoon and even proceeds will be devoted to ch In the evening there will be a tainment by local talent.

"Bar Haven" will be pre local talent, at Grange hall, Wednesday evening, Feb. 26th bers of Harrison Lodge I. O. Woodland Rebekah Lodge. D be followed by a dance.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Morrison gor are visiting Mrs. Morrison Mrs. Freeland Howe. Mrs. visiting at her son's, Freelan Jr., on Pleasant street, whe taken sick. She was moved t on Main street, Thursday.

Every one knows, who att Maine Festival, that Giordan sensation and surprise, notwit Nordica and Rappold. This, vated everyone with his personality. It's a streak of g that you are to hear him in

Mrs. Florence Anderson Otis who shared honors with Mme. Heink, and Mme. Nordica, at Grove Festival last season, is great promise and will add gre program, with her solos which she sings with Giordan

Miss Sue Winchell is one of Cellists in the country. W. man's artistic work needs no He is a wisard of the piano the baton. The Chapman Co gram will appeal to all cla especially operatic as well as Don't fail to secure your seat

Norway Anchor Lodge I. No. 32, at last meeting, elected for the district session at Sou ton, Wednesday, the 26th Emma Stone, D. L. Joslin, M Stevens, Fred Allen, Mrs. Eliz Rev. B. C. Wentworth, Ada M W. H. Stone.

The State officers of the W. instructed the color bearers of C. of the various towns in th request the people of their to serve Washington's birthday, Feb. 22, by having a good displ unfurled, from both business p private dwellings.

At a special meeting of the versalist parish held Feb. 15, following resolution was un passed:—

RESOLVED: that we feel tha planation is due to Rev. M. C. others, and therefore state tha taken on article three at the Pa ing Jan. 21, was because of th condition of the Parish, a reason that should be construe unfavorably upon him as a mi a man.

Lorne Elwin Company will attractive line of plays at Nor House beginning February Prices, 10—20—30.